

FAIRHAVEN



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ANNUAL REPORT

of
The Town Offices
of
Fairhaven, Massachusetts



Town Hall

For The
Year 2001

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TOWN OF FAIRHAVEN



FAIRHAVEN LOCUS

041° 38' N. Latitude

070° 54' W. Longitude

Elevation 11 ft. M.S.L. at Town Hall

Settled 1653

Incorporated 1812

Population 16,133

4th Congressional District

First Councillor District

Second Bristol Senatorial District

Tenth Bristol Representative District

Election of Officers

First Monday in April

Fairhaven, Massachusetts

General Information

About The Town

Located

On the Shore of Buzzards Bay
56 Miles from Boston - 1 Mile From New Bedford

Registered Voters - 10,433

Tax Rate Fiscal Year 2001

Residential - \$15.14

Commercial - \$18.17

Area

7,497 Acres

Miles of shore Property - 29.4

Miles of Streets and Roads - Approximately 100

Number in Dwellings in 2001

Residential Dwellings - 5,778

Commercial / Industrial - 387

Churches - 10

Public Schools - 6

Private Schools - 7

1 Elementary

6 Pre-Schools

Banks - 8

Principal Industries

Ship Building

Fishing Industry

Fish Freezing

Winches and Fishing Machinery

Marine Repair & Construction

Customer Service

Hospitality

Retail



IN MEMORIAM

Dr. Edward J. Mee

Board of Health

Town Meeting Member



IN MEMORIAM

Peter F. Barcellos

Patrolman 1959

Full Time Patrolman 1964

Sergeant 1967-1978

Acting Police Chief 1978

Police Chief 1979-1992

Town Meeting Member

School Committee Member

Regional District Planning Committee

Cable TV Advisory Committee

Liquor License Agent

Recreation Commission

Constable

Safety Council

Ambulance Study Committee

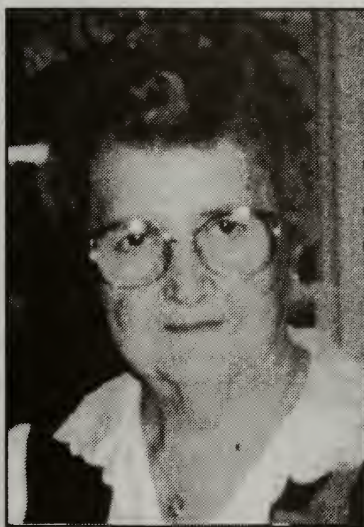


IN MEMORIAM

Alma G. Martin

Cafeteria Helper 1950-1964

Assistant Cook 1964-1974



IN MEMORIAM

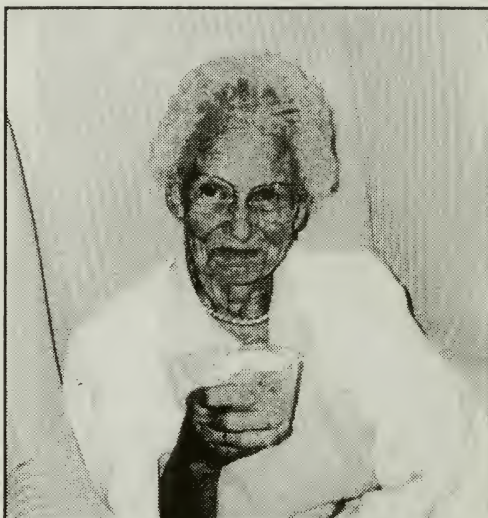
Edith Cromie

Fairhaven High Social Studies 1934-1944

Fairhaven High Social Studies and Dean of Girls 1944-1948

Fairhaven High Social Studies 1948-1958

Hastings Middle School Guidance 1958-1973



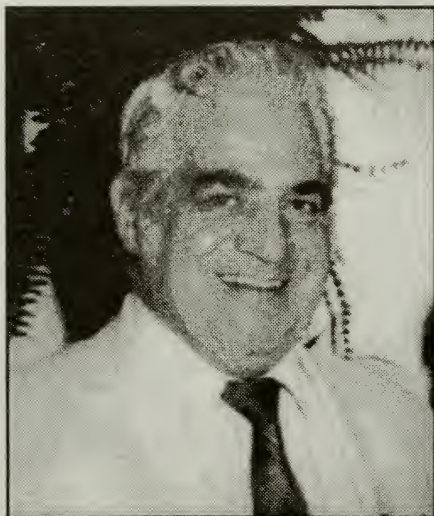
IN MEMORIAM

Helen R. Porter

Tripp School 1941-1944

East Fairhaven Principal 1944-1958

Elementary Curriculum Coordinator 1958



IN MEMORIAM

Daniel P. Rezendes

Police Officer

Inspector of Animals

Dog Officer

Finance Committee

Ambulance Study Committee

Youth Study Committee

Constable

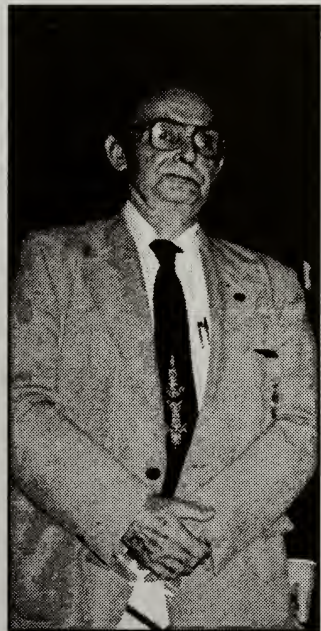
Animal Control Advisory Committee

Commission on Disability

IN MEMORIAM
Kenneth E. Affonce
Highway Department
Town Meeting Member



IN MEMORIAM
Harry L. Young, Jr.
Council on Aging
Fairhaven Activity Center
Town Meeting Member



IN MEMORIAM
Charles K. Sisson
Maintenance Craftsman 1962-1994

DIRECTORY OF TOWN OFFICIALS

(Elective Officials Designated by Capital Letters)

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

BRIAN K. BOWCOCK	Term Expires 2002
MICHAEL SILVIA	Term Expires 2003
WINFRED A. ECKENREITER	Term Expires 2004
Jeffrey W. Osuch	Executive Secretary
Jan St. Germain	Secretary
Bernice Alves	Principal Clerk
Loreen Pina	Senior Clerk

TOWN CLERK

EILEEN LOWNEY	Term Expires 2004
Elaine Rocha	Assistant Town Clerk
Linda Smith	Principal Clerk

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE/DIVISION OF TREASURY

Andrew J. Martin	Director of Finance/Treasurer
Joyce Shepard	Assistant Treasurer
Lisa Rose	Payroll Supervisor

DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

*William Roth, Jr.	Director
Lisa Moniz	Senior Clerk
*Daniel Fortier, resigned	

DIVISION OF ACCOUNTING

Anne M. Carreiro	Town Accountant
Mary Sturgeon	Part-time Accounting Clerk

DIVISION OF ASSESSING

Jeanne Reedy	Chief Assessor
Delfino Garcia, Part-time Assessor	Term Expires 2002
Paul A. Matheson, III, Part-time Assessor	Term Expires 2002
Jane E. Bettencourt	Assistant Assessor
Sharon Lamy	Senior Clerk
Melody Poitras	Senior Clerk
*Deborah Santos	Senior Clerk
*Carol Chase, retired	

DIVISION OF COLLECTION

Carol Brandolini, Town Collector	Term Expires 2002
Brian Lacroix	Deputy Collector
Pamela Bettencourt	Assistant Collector
*Kelley Leavitt	Senior Clerk
Barbara Souza	Senior Clerk
Cheryl Forand	Part-time Senior Clerk
*Deborah Santos, transferred to the Assessors' Office	

MODERATOR

*ROBERT FOSTER	Term Expires 2003
*Louis F. Vaudry, Jr., resigned	

BOARD OF HEALTH

DAVID SZELIGA	Term Expires 2002
DOLORES CATON	Term Expires 2003
DR. JOHN A. BADWEY	Term Expires 2004
Patricia B. Fowle	Health Agent
M. Teresa Darwin	Administrative Assistant
Chrisy Dias	Animal Inspector
Rebekah Tomlinson	Assistant Animal Inspector
Margaret Colt	Food Inspector

COMMISSIONERS OF TRUST FUNDS

JAY S. SIMMONS	Term Expires 2002
KIMBERLEY K. MCLAUGHLIN	Term Expires 2003
GEORGE GRAVES	Term Expires 2004

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS

PAUL E. FRANCIS, Chairman	Term Expires 2002
JOHN RODERIGUES, III	Term Expires 2002
RICHARD BRODEUR	Term Expires 2003
RONALD J. MANZONE	Term Expires 2003
FRANK J. REZENDES	Term Expires 2004
*Robert Carey, Superintendent	Board of Public Works
John Charbonneau, Superintendent	Highway Division
Edward L. Fortin, Superintendent	Water Division
Linda L. Simmons, Superintendent	Sewer Division
George W. Bragga	Head Clerk, Secretary

Kathy A. Tripp	Head Clerk
Kim Souza	Principal Clerk
Elaine Medeiros	Principal Clerk
*Alfred Raphael, retired	
***Yvette St.Armand, resigned	

HOUSING AUTHORITY

Rev. Robert A. Thayer, State Appointee	Term Expires 2005
VICTOR OLIVEIRA, JR.	Term Expires 2002
JOHN E. KEARY	Term Expires 2002
ANNE D. SILVEIRA	Term Expires 2004
JAMES LEAL	Term Expires 2005
Stanley A. Wojcik	Executive Director
Urania M. Oliveira	Assistant Executive Director
Laurie A. Powers	Principal Clerk

PLANNING BOARD

ALBERT BORGES, JR.	Term Expires 2002
JEFFREY LUCAS	Term Expires 2002
RAYMOND FLEURENT, Chairman	Term Expires 2003
WAYNE HAYWARD	Term Expires 2003
MARINUS VANDERPOL, JR.	Term Expires 2004
MARK RASMUSSEN	Term Expires 2004
CHANNING W. HAYWARD	Term Expires 2005
GARY STAFFON	Term Expires 2005
**William Roth, Jr., Director	Planning & Economic Development
*Victor Oliveira, Jr.	Term Expires 2001
*SHEILA C. DOLAN, resigned	
**Daniel J. Fortier, resigned	
Kim Souza, Secretary	

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

*Thomas J. Perry	Term Expires 2002
PAULA M. GARDNER	Term Expires 2002
MICHAEL R. SOUZA	Term Expires 2003
MICHELE E. MEROLLA	Term Expires 2003
MARK SYLVIA	Term Expires 2004
MICHAEL GAGNE	Term Expires 2004
*ANN M. PINTO, resigned	

TREE WARDEN

ANTONE MEDEIROS, JR.

Term Expires 2003

AFFORDABLE HOUSING COMMITTEE (TERMS EXPIRE 2002)

Channing W. Hayward

Stanley Wojcik

ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICER

Christy Dias

Animal Control Officer

Rebekah Tomlinson

Assistant Animal Control Officer

ANIMAL SHELTER BUILDING COMMITTEE

Dr. Brian Bowcock

Winfred Eckenreiter

Dolores Caton

Paul Francis

Christy Dias

BOARD OF APPEALS

Ann Cochran

Term Expires 2002

Louis Kalife

Term Expires 2003

Curtis Lopes

Term Expires 2004

Daryl Manchester

Term Expires 2005

Joseph A. Borelli

Term Expires 2006

William J. Alphonse, Associate

Term Expires 2003

Joseph V. Morgida, Associate

Term Expires 2003

*Roger Bergeron, resigned

**Patricia Fowle, Secretary

**James Pelland, resigned

ART CURATOR

Albert Benac

Term Expires 2002

BEAUTIFICATION COMMITTEE (TERMS EXPIRE 2002)

Stephanie Bratton

Wayne Oliveira

Ethel Cataldo

Mary Rapoza

John M. Frates, Jr.

Beverly Rasmussen

Diane B. Hasset

Frank J. Rezendes

Laura F. Knipe
Lory Lavoie
Roderick N. Lopez

Rene Rose
Barbara Sawyer
Marie Spence

**BIKE PATH PLANNING COMMITTEE
(TERMS EXPIRE 2002)**

Barbara Bishop
Richard Brodeur
Kenneth W. Pottel

Alfred J. Vincent
David Ward

BUILDING DEPARTMENT

Wayne Fostin
Frances Robillard
Joseph Cardoza
William J. Alphonse
Randall C. Durrigan
Andrew Olsen
*George Gracia
*John Cottrill, resigned

Building Commissioner
Administrative Assistant
Gas Inspector & Assoc. Plumbing Inspector
Plumbing Inspector & Assoc. Gas Inspector
Chief Wire Inspector
Associate Wire Inspector
Associate Wire Inspector

**CABLE ADVISORY COMMITTEE
(TERMS EXPIRE 2002)**

Joni Gaudiello
James Pelland

John Haaland, Jr.
Paul St. Pierre

**CABLE EDUCATION ACCESS COMMITTEE
(TERMS EXPIRE 2002)**

Joni Gaudiello
Carl F. Vieira

John Rogers

CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Gregory Bettencourt
Albert Borges, Jr.
Marinus VanderPol, Jr.
James Leal
Joseph M. Taylor, Chairman
Victor Oliveira, Jr.
Thomas J. Perry
Gregory Bettencourt, Jr., Associate
Wayne Fostin, Conservation Agent
Jane Bettencourt, Secretary

Term Expires 2002
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Term Expires 2004
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Term Expires 2002

CONSTABLES (TERMS EXPIRE 2002)

William Berry	Robert Jones
Steven Borges	Robert W. Landry, Sr.
Dennis Braga	Lawrence Machado
Robert Cormier	David Paquin
Donald Dompierre	Donna Romero
Donn Fletcher, Jr.	David P. Santos
David M. Gordon	Norman Saucier
Stephen M. Gwozdz	John Serpa
Eileen Lowney	Joseph Williams

COMMISSION ON DISABILITY

*Waldemar DeOliviera	Term Expires 2002
Trina Bigham	Term Expires 2003
Eileen Lowney	Term Expires 2003
Charles K. Murphy	Term Expires 2003
Joseph A. Borelli	Term Expires 2004
Paul Schroeder	Term Expires 2004
*Paula J. Barry, resigned	

COUNCIL ON AGING

Joan Benoit	Term Expires 2002
Audrey M. Gillum	Term Expires 2002
Doris Blanchard	Term Expires 2003
Virginia A. Carey	Term Expires 2003
Joseph A. Borelli	Term Expires 2004
John Kearney	Term Expires 2004
*Albert Borges	Term Expires 2004
Betty S. Lacerda	Executive Director
Tammy LaGasse	Social Day Care Coordinator
Kerri Taylor	Assistant Social Day Care Coordinator
Cynthia VandenBurgh	Senior Clerk
*Harry Young, deceased	

COUNCIL ON AGING/RECREATION FACILITY BUILDING COMMITTEE

Dana Almeida	Ann Richard
Joseph Borelli	Michael Silvia
James Pelland	David F. Wood
Harry Young, Jr., Alternate	*Joseph Begnoche, resigned
*Winfred A. Eckenreiter, resigned	

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL STUDY COMMITTEE

Kerry Alves
Dr. Patricia Ansay
Dr. John Badwey
Michael Botelho
Pete Braley
Chris Bunnell
Thomas Crotty
Dr. Martha Cummings
Henry Danielli

Kevin Gonsalves
Nancy Green
Celeste Lake
Myra Lopes
Donald Nielsen
Ann-Margaret Richard
Rev. Robert Thayer
Bryan Wood
David Wood

EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY

Marc Jodoin, Director

Term Expires 2002

FAIR HOUSING COMMITTEE (TERM EXPIRES 2002)

Louis Kalife

Michael Silvia, Coordinator

FAIRHAVEN CULTURAL COUNCIL

Barbara Baumgart
Judith Perry
Vivian Lewis
Claudia Kirk
Margaret Rogers
Karoline Szatek
Martha Berg
Judith Pond
Gillian Baumgart, Associate
*Sharon M. Simmons, resigned

Term Expires 2002
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Term Expires 2004
Term Expires 2004
Term Expires 2002

FAIRHAVEN HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING SUB-COMMITTEE

Dr. Brian K. Bowcock
Andrew B. Tillett

David Wood

FINANCE COMMITTEE

PRECINCT 1

William Machado
Sheila Dolan

Term Expires 2002
Term Expires 2003

PRECINCT 2

Manuel Sylvia
John Roderiques

Term Expires 2001
Term Expires 2002

PRECINCT 3

Jeffrey Messier
Jeffrey Canastra

Term Expires 2002
Term Expires 2003

PRECINCT 4

Gilbert Mendes
Urania Oliveira

Term Expires 2002
Term Expires 2003

PRECINCT 5

Mark Badwey
Kim Hyland

Term Expires 2002
Term Expires 2003

PRECINCT 6

Kerry Alves
Edith Silva

Term Expires 2002
Term Expires 2003

James Cunha

MEMBER AT LARGE

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Timothy Francis
Donn Fletcher
Kristine Fitzsimmons

Fire Chief
Deputy Fire Chief
Senior Clerk

FIRE APPARATUS STUDY COMMITTEE **(Terms Expire 2002)**

Michael Barcellos
David Crowley
Frank Cruz
Donn Fletcher
Timothy Francis

Harold Perry
Richard Rocha
John Rogers, Jr.
Michael Silvia

FIRE DEPARTMENT BUILDING COMMITTEE
(Terms Expire 2002)

Timothy Francis
David G. Hughes
Curtis L. Lopes

Frank J. Rezendes
John Rogers, Jr.
Charles R. Tripp

**GREATER NEW BEDFORD REGIONAL VOCATIONAL
TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT**

Raymond Sylvia
Randall Durrigan

Term Expires 2003
Term Expires 2004

HISTORICAL COMMISSION

Debra Charpentier
Gail Isaksen
David Despres, Chairman
Dorothy Gammons
Laura Knipe
John Badwey
Ellen Rogers
John M. Frates, Jr., Associate
Wayne Oliveira, Associate
Judith Perry, Associate
Frank J. Rezendes, Associate
Sharon Simmons, Associate
Phil Temple, Associate
Michael Silvia, Associate

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INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT FINANCING AUTHORITY

Philip Cardoza
Elizabeth Isherwood-Moore

Term Expires 2002
Term Expires 2005

INSPECTOR OF PETROLEUM

Frank Przybyszewski

LITTLE BAY CONSERVATION MANAGEMENT

Gregory Bettencourt
Dr. Brian K. Bowcock, Chairman
Michael A. Brennan

James Leal
Linda Meredith

LOCAL EMERGENCY PLANNING COMMITTEE

Dr. Brian K. Bowcock
Patricia Fowle
Timothy Francis
Marc Jodoin
Macy F. Joseph III

John Medeiros
Wendy Rego
Frank J. Rezendes
Edward Silva

MEASURER OF WOOD AND BARK (TERM EXPIRES 2002)

Antone Medeiros

MILLCENT LIBRARY TRUSTEES

Jean Campbell, President
Christopher Bunnell, Treasurer
Carolyn Longworth, Secretary
Kathleen Clement
Gail Isaksen
Ernestine Locke
Myra Lopes
Alice Rapp
Joanna Weeks
Dr. Brian Bowcock, ex officio
Paul Peralta-Ramos, Honorary

Dennis Duval, Vice President
Robert Kenworthy, Assistant Treasurer
Bruce Bendiksen
J. Richard Early
Susan Kennedy
Curtis Lopes
Cheryl Moniz
Anita Carroll Rose
Bryan Wood
Earl J. Dias, Honorary
Raymond Mitchell, deceased

NATURAL RESOURCE DEPARTMENT

Gary Golas, Harbormaster & Assistant Shellfish Warden, Parking Control Officer
Daniel Costa, Shellfish Warden & Assistant Harbormaster, Parking Control Officer
Brian Dawicki, Assistant Harbormaster & Deputy Shellfish Warden
Steven Horsley, Deputy Shellfish Warden
Joseph Medeiros, Deputy Shellfish Warden
William Morel, Assistant Harbormaster & Deputy Shellfish Warden
Jason Patterson, Assistant Harbormaster & Deputy Shellfish Warden
Joseph F. Dawicki, Jr., Seasonal Deputy & Assistant Harbormaster
Harry T. Perkins, Seasonal Assistant Harbormaster

OIL SPILL COORDINATOR (TERM EXPIRES 2002)

Timothy Francis

**PARKING CLERK
(TERM EXPIRES 2002)**

Jan St. Germain

PERSONNEL BOARD

Jeanne Dube
Paul E. Francis

Winfred A. Eckenreiter
Andrew Martin, Director

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Edward Silva
Donald A. Joseph
Juanna Adesso

Police Chief
Lieutenant
Senior Clerk

PRECINCT CHAIRMAN & CLERKS

PRECINCT 1
Albert Figueiredo

Martha Cummings, Clerk

PRECINCT 2
John Haaland, Jr.

Dennis Mattos, Clerk

PRECINCT 3
David Darmofal

Jeffrey Messier, Clerk

PRECINCT 4
Albert Benac

Kathleen Clement, Clerk

PRECINCT 5
Kevin Gonsalves

Kathleen Sturtevant, Clerk

PRECINCT 6
Raymond Fleurent

RECREATION CENTER

Rene Tavares

Director

**RECREATION COMMISSION
(TERM EXPIRES 2002)**

Gary Ashworth
Alfred Dellecese
John Haaland, Jr.
Antone Medeiros

Frank E. Motta III
Richard A. Pires
Armand Santos
Dana Almeida, Director

**RECREATION CENTER BOARD OF DIRECTORS
(TERMS EXPIRE 2002)**

Dana Almeida
Alfred Dellecese
Winfred A. Eckenreiter
John Haaland, Jr.
Michael F. Lemaire
Joanne M. Manley
Antone "Hawk" Medeiros
Frank E. Motta, III

Charles K. Murphy
Victor Oliveira
James A. Pelland
Thomas J. Perry
Frank J. Rezendes
Ann Richard
Carol D. Santos
Bryan Wood

REGISTRAR OF VOTERS

Stella Marnik
Luke Cebula
Eileen Lowney

Term Expires 2002
Term Expires 2004
Clerk

RETIREMENT BOARD

Bernice Alves
Earl Faunce
*Claudette Souza, Administrative Assistant
*Mary P. Manley, retired

Louis Kruger
Ann M. Carreiro
Andrew J. Martin, Chairman

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

Dr. Patricia Ansay
Claudette Tripp
*Kathleen Fareas
*Nesta Oliveira, retired
**Louis Roderigues, resigned

Superintendent
Secretary to Superintendent
Administrative Secretary

SCONTICUT NECK SEWER STUDY COMMITTEE

Dr. John Badwey
Dr. Brian K. Bowcock
Deborah B. Davis
Patricia Fowle
Kevin Gonsalves

James Holmes
Michael Silvia
Kathleen Sturtevant
Alfred Raphael
Frank Rezendes

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURERS

Frank P. Przybyszewski

SHELLFISH RESTORATION ADVISORY PANEL (TERM EXPIRES 2002)

Dennis Leahey
Paul L 'Etoile
Bruce Ingham
Roderick Lopez

Domenick Nicolaci
Art Oliveira
Patrick Pounds

SOUTHEASTERN REGIONAL PLANNING & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT

Albert Borges
Raymond Fleurent
William Roth, Jr.
Alfred Raphael

SRPEDD Commission, Selectmen's Representative
SRPEDD Commission, Planning Board Representative
Joint Transportation Planning Group
Alternate, Joint Transportation Planning Group

TOURISM COMMITTEE (TERMS EXPIRE 2002)

Charles Cromwell
Hilmar Gundersen
Natalie S. Hemingway

Leonard Monopoli
Kathleen Reed
Christopher Richard, Tourism Director

VETERANS' BENEFITS AND SERVICE BURIAL AGENT (TERM EXPIRES 2002)

James Cochran

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

The year 2001 will always be remembered for the tragic events of September 11th, when terrorists destroyed the Twin Towers in New York and a portion of the Pentagon in Washington, D.C. These horrific acts resulted in the deaths of more than 3,000 innocent people and changed forever the way of life that American citizens had become accustomed to.

The Board of Selectmen wish to express our deepest sympathy for the families of those who died or were injured during these catastrophic events. This Board would like to thank the men and women of our Armed Forces who have fought so bravely in Afghanistan in the name of freedom. Also, this Board would like to acknowledge the heroic efforts of the rescuers in New York and Washington, D.C.

The year 2001 began with the construction of economic prosperity that had existed nationwide for nearly ten years. The State economy began to soften early during the year. By mid year, a recession loomed.

As can be imagined, the events of September 11th have had negative impacts on the national economy, which has resulted in a downturn at both the State and local level.

State legislatures were unable to prepare and approve a State budget until early December, five months beyond the start of the fiscal year in July. The final Cherry Sheet numbers resulted in a reduction of more than \$288,000 in State Aid from original projections made in January. As a result, the Town will be faced with difficult decisions to balance not only this year's budget deficit, but especially the budget for fiscal year 2003. Reduction in departmental budgets and service levels appear to be very likely during the next fiscal year.

On the local level, the Board of Selectmen began the year with the renewed commitment to continue to improve the quality of life for it's citizens. January and February witnessed the turmoil created by the proposal to build a bio-solids drying facility, abutting the Fairhaven Wastewater Treatment Plant, to handle sewer sludge from Fairhaven and other communities. Following numerous meetings and discussions, the proposal was withdrawn. Currently, the Town is hauling sewer sludge out of state at a cost of \$250,000 per year, which has resulted in a 23% increase in the sewer rates.

The April Election contained many hotly contested races. Selectman Winfred A. Eckenreiter was re-elected for his second three year term. The Board congratulates him on another term.

The May Annual Town Meeting resulted in the approval of a new Police Contract, which contains the provisions of the Quinn Bill. The Quinn Bill provides Police Officers with the incentive to further their education. Police Officers with advanced degrees will receive salary increases ranging up to 25% for those with a Masters Degree or higher. The goal of the Quinn Bill is to improve the quality of Police Officers. Town Meeting members also approved the funding necessary to design a public sewer system for more than 500 homes located on and off Sconticut Neck Road, in the vicinity of the water stand pipe. It is anticipated that construction funds will be approved during 2002. This project, once completed, should go a long way to improve water quality in the outer harbor on the west side of Sconticut Neck and the Little Bay area on the east side. Town Meeting also approved funds to design an Odor Control System at the Arsene Street Treatment Plant and also design funds for ultra violet light disinfection. A long awaited Animal Shelter was finally approved when Town Meeting voted \$200,000 to construct a new facility on Bridge Street.

During the Spring, the renovated Cushman Park was fully used for the first time. This long awaited facility contains a six lane rubberized track, four tennis courts, two softball diamonds with lights, and a new concession stand with bathrooms. During the Fall, Fairhaven High School field hockey and football teams used Cushman Park for games and practice.

The Town's Ambulance Service was also upgraded during 2001 when eight Firefighters completed paramedic classes and were certified. Operation of the Town Ambulances has been shifted from the Police Department to the Fire Department and it is hoped that the mutual agreement utilizing personnel from both departments, will enhance coverage and provide advanced life support service for Fairhaven residents. The Board of Selectmen would like to congratulate the members of both departments for proposing and implementing this improved level of service.

Just before Christmas, the new Senior Center and Recreation Center were opened. These state of the art, fully air-conditioned facilities, will provide years of service for residents of all ages. The 5,500 square foot Senior Center replaces the former facility located on Sconticut Neck Road. The Senior Center is connected to the 12,500 square foot Recreation Center by an enclosed link. The Recreation Center has a full sized gymnasium, a wellness area and a multi-purpose game/arts and crafts room. Both facilities are connected to the bike path and have parking for more than 100 vehicles with easy access to Route 6.

Fairhaven now has first class recreational facilities for residents with the improvements at Cushman Park, the High School, the Bike Path and Recreation Center.

The Board of Selectmen would like to welcome the following new businesses to Fairhaven: Walnut Grove Day Care, Bayline Excavation, 7-Eleven, Olympia Sports, St. Anne's Credit Union, Personal Touch, East Coast Wireless and Dr. Susan Camacho. New businesses currently under construction include Walgreen's and Pizzeria Uno.

Based on the decisions of Town Meeting and the reduction in State Aid, the Town has reached the limits of Proposition 2 1/2. With the assistance of Town Meeting, the Finance Committee and other Town Officials, the Board of Selectmen has been able to hold the line on spending by making sound financial decisions. The Town continues to hold the line on borrowing. A substantial amount of debt will be retired during the next few years. The Board's policy has been to propose Capital Improvements and other projects only when debt can be replaced with new debt.

During the next few years, numerous improvements will be necessary. Major upgrades will be necessary at the Arsene Street Wastewater Treatment Plant. Sewer extensions will be required in unsewered areas. The Town's four elementary schools need to be renovated and expanded to meet current requirements. Repairs and upgrades will be required at Livesey Park and Millicent Library. Only through the combined effort of Fairhaven residents and Town departments working together, will the common goal of improving the quality of life for all residents be realized.

The Board of Selectmen would like to thank Town Meeting Members, Town Boards, Committees, employees, volunteers and residents who have helped with projects and improvements during the year. The Town has prospered through your efforts.

Much has been accomplished during the past few years. However, the Board needs your assistance. Each residents can make a difference. The year 2002 will require a special effort by all. While there may not always be agreement among the parties, your input is valuable. Become involved.

Respectfully submitted,

Dr. Brian K. Bowcock, Chairman
Michael Silvia
Winfred A. Eckenreiter

TOWN COLLECTOR

FISCAL 2001 ANNUAL REPORT

Real Estate Tax	\$14,015,935.15	
Personal Property Tax	399,499.65	
Motor Vehicle Excise	1,175,053.46	
Boat Excise	56,482.98	
Interest and Fees	135,672.79	
RMV Marking Fees	11,320.00	
Water Rates	987,376.71	
Water Finals	15,685.23	
Water Connections	5,286.53	
Water Betterments	13,265.00	
Water Betterment Interest	6,258.46	
Water Liens	70,633.77	
Sewer Liens	99,051.32	
Sewer Usage	1,392,708.88	
Sewer Finals	13,461.29	
Sewer Usage Fee	15,888.56	
Sewer Overtime	125.02	
Sewer Betterments	123,519.17	
Sewer Betterment Interest	25,025.04	
Mattapoisett Sewer Charges	93,243.97	
Betterment Release Certificates	145.82	
Municipal Lien Certificates	20,075.00	
School Tuition	129,353.27	
Payments in Lieu of Taxes	138,753.69	
Total Collections in FY 2001		\$18,943,820.76

Respectfully Submitted,

Carol A. Brandolini

REVENUE RECEIVED

JULY 1, 2000 – JUNE 30, 2001

TAX COLLECTIONS (NET)

Real Estate	13,994,411.37
Personal Property	399,499.65
Tax Liens/Foreclosures Redeemed	215,559.84
Motor Vehicle Excise	1,162,283.54
Boat Excise/Rollback Re Tax	78,971.40

INTEREST/PENALTIES

Property Tax	62,504.33
Excise Tax	23,374.51
Tax Liens	93,000.27
Betterment Release	145.82
In Lieu of Taxes	26,946.12
Urban Excise	111,849.00
Other Taxes – Hotel	115,564.00

Total Taxes	16,284,109.85
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CHARGES FOR SERVICES

Park/Recreation	14,401.00
Semass Administration/Recycling	475,666.85
Wharfage	59,316.84
Fees	126,083.08
Other Dept Revenue	106,948.07

Total Charges for Services	782,415.84
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LICENSES AND PERMITS

Alcoholic Bev. Licenses	32,412.62
Other Lic & Permits	196,324.75

Total Licenses & Permits	228,737.37
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FINES & FORFEITS	22,477.50
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INVESTMENT INCOME	493,118.50
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REVENUE FROM STATE

Abate to Elderly	82,328.00
State Owned Land	59,502.00
Lottery	2,271,425.00
Highway	302,264.00
Additional Assist.	492,569.00
Veteran Benefits/Abatements	48,517.42
Civil Defense	853.32
COA	44,688.00
Arts Lottery	10,052.00
Police/Fire Grants	100,432.00
Misc Grants	229,916.00

REVENUE FROM FEDERAL

Cops Fast/More	19,241.00
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Total State Revenue/Federal

3,661,787.74

OTHER REVENUE

Waterway Improvement	354.00
COA Social Day Care	69,052.00
Ambulance Fund	265,805.00
Landfill Closure	3,114.00
Wetland Protection	4,959.00
Insurance Recovery	39,339.00
Gift Accounts	18,243.62
Title 5	16,770.23

Total Other Revenue

417,636.85

Total Non-School Revenue

21,890,283.65

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

Tuition	129,899.54
Miscellaneous/Educa Cable	48,507.00
School Lunch	463,227.00
Athletic Revolving	24,711.00
Music Revolving	2,176.00
Gifts	37,158.26
Adult Education	8,835.00

Total

714,513.80

SCHOOL REVENUE FROM STATE

School Aid – Chapter 70	6,773,542.00
Construction School Project	1,154,333.00
School Transportation	71,397.00
School Lunch	19,424.00

Total	8,018,696.00
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REVENUE FROM FEDERAL GOVERNMENT

School Lunch	246,281.00
Title I/School Support	233,787.36
Community Early Learning	16,000.00
Health Education	47,691.03
Spn Idea/Title VI	215,598.24
Early Childhood/Sped	25,732.00
Sped Curriculum	18,509.00
Eisenhower	10,417.00
Full Day Kindergarden	30,000.00
Academic Support	113,165.00
Intergr Char Education	10,000.00
Palms	5,000.00
After School	40,000.00
Drugfree	9,312.31
Community Partnership	148,337.00
Future Educator	1,200.00
Class Reduction	47,534.00
Silber Literacy	98,309.00
Enhanced School Health	94,000.00
Mass Parent/Mass Class	47,690.00
Sped Corr Action	10,000.00
Educators Quality	16,995.00

Total	1,485,557.94
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Total School Revenue	10,218,767.74
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WATER DIVISION

Tax Liens/Foreclosures	23,088.56
Water Liens	86,933.77
Water Rates	975,393.11
Water Final Bills	15,685.23
Water Connections	11,740.83
Water Demands	7,729.05
Water Betterment Added to Taxes	10,365.00
Comm. Interest Pd in Advance	6,258.46
Water Betterment Pd in Advance	2,900.00
Misc.	-
Earnings on Investment	46,844.00

Total Water Revenue	1,186,938.01
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SEWER DIVISION

Tax Liens/Foreclosures	36,530.34
Sewer Liens	99,051.32
Septic Waste	50,894.00
Sewer Application Fee	35,885.25
Drain Layer	2,300.00
Matt. User Charge	93,243.97
User Charge-Ot	125.02
Usage W/O Water	8,711.31
Sewer User Charge	1,389,675.43
Sewer Final Bills	13,461.29
Sewer Betterment Added to Taxes	39,474.93
Committed Interest	25,025.04
Sewer Betterment Pd in Advance	75,439.00
Service Deposit	-
Misc.	-
Earnings on Investment	66,562.00

Total Sewer Revenue	1,936,378.90
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Total Combined Revenue	35,232,368.30
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TRUST FUNDS
JULY 1, 2000 – JUNE 30, 2001

	NON-EXPD 7/1/00	EXPEND 7/1/00	NON-EXPD REV TRANS	INTEREST/ REV TRANS	WITHDRAW	NON-EXPD 6/30/01	EXPEND 6/30/01
HH Roger Elem	417,797.78	53,830.79	125,307.70	21,293.22	16,111.07	543,105.48	59,012.94
E Anthony, Jr.	10,000.00	3,201.55	—	613.36	100.00	10,000.00	3,714.91
Abner Pease	5,000.00	856.23	—	270.63	363.01	5,000.00	763.85
HH Rogers HS	1,660,284.76	51,987.26	(33,349.56)	49,850.03	1,500.00	1,626,935.20	100,337.29
J Rickett	1,430.66	1,734.66	—	146.08	—	1,430.66	1,880.74
J Stoddard	344,554.88	34,398.12	107,438.70	17,108.68	14,400.00	451,993.58	37,106.80
Andrus Spritt	41,372.52	2,020.57	—	1,998.93	2,000.00	41,372.52	2,019.50
A Trowbridge	6,000.00	741.85	—	315.94	250.00	6,000.00	807.79
S Clark—Roger	500.00	133.15	—	29.24	40.00	500.00	122.39
S. Clark H.S.	500.00	4,135.50	—	209.62	—	500.00	4,345.12
Lady Fairhaven	600.00	91.18	—	31.95	45.00	600.00	78.13
Amanda Sears	700.00	148.87	—	39.10	45.00	700.00	142.97

	NON-EXPD 7/1/00	EXPEND 7/1/00	NON-EXPD REV TRANS	INTEREST/ REV TRANS	WITHDRAW	NON-EXPD 6/30/01	EXPEND 6/30/01
Julia Sears	1,000.00	89.37	—	50.33	70.00	1,000.00	69.70
Frances Hoxie	2,000.00	2,148.60	—	191.86	500.00	2,000.00	1,840.46
J S Keen	3,000.00	240.66	—	148.10	100.00	3,000.00	288.76
Swift Scholar	50,000.00	2,291.25	—	2,439.13	1,000.00	50,000.00	3,730.38
M Miller	15,552.04	2,201.89	—	832.28	600.00	15,552.04	2,434.17
P Hiller	4,925.00	348.52	—	246.77	200.00	4,925.00	395.29
A Pillsbury	6,500.00	2,561.38	—	415.97	400.00	6,500.00	2,577.35
M Delano	25,000.00	805.22	—	1,178.60	750.00	25,000.00	1,233.82
Tripp	2,000.00	611.00	—	119.62	—	2,000.00	730.62
M Knipe	6,000.00	2,229.38	—	375.87	—	6,000.00	2,605.25
Memor Trophy	726.66	59.30	—	35.53	—	726.66	94.83
FHS Darling Lib	1,096.89	89.48	—	53.65	—	1,096.89	143.13
HS Spec Aid	1,449.24	118.23	—	70.89	—	1,449.24	189.12

	NON-EXPD 7/1/00	EXPEND 7/1/00	NON-EXPD REV TRANS	INTEREST/ REV TRANS	WITHDRAW	NON-EXPD 6/30/01	EXPEND 6/30/01
J Coyne	4,500.00	129.19	—	212.43	200.00	4,500.00	141.62
Radcliffe	8,000.00	2,255.02	—	469.97	—	8,000.00	2,724.99
Entwistle	8,000.00	591.90	—	393.21	300.00	8,000.00	685.11
Anthony Sch	1,638.10	102.52	—	78.72	—	1,638.10	181.24
Huttlestonian	12,000.00	1,115.80	—	600.89	500.00	12,000.00	1,216.69
Silveira	6,241.87	118.57	—	287.65	200.00	6,241.87	206.22
MacCord	2,127.97	1,086.27	235.00	93.74	948.38	2,362.97	231.63
Meekin	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
S. Grabiec	2,350.00	2,000.00	—	103.94	—	2,100.00	2,103.94
Bangs	1,300.00	170.34	—	325.05	250.00	400.00	95.39
Kathy Rocha	7,630.00	1,700.92	1,000.00	348.06	100.00	2,300.00	1,948.98
F Campbell	—	700.00	1,315.00	248.01	750.00	8,945.00	198.01
Acush Founda	—	—	—	1,500.00	—	—	—
		4,000.00	—	—	1,500.00	—	—
				119.07	—		4,119.07

	NON-EXPD 7/1/00	EXPEND 7/1/00	NON-EXPD REV TRANS	INTEREST/ REV TRANS	WITHDRAW	NON-EXPD 6/30/01	EXPEND 6/30/01
M Cabral	900.00	—	—	26.78	—	900.00	26.78
A Martin	415.31	33.91	—	20.32	—	415.31	54.23
Helen Porter	—	—	2,365.00	—	—	2,365.00	—
Rich Gautreau			9,200.00	—	—	9,200.00	305.67
Supt Scholarship				1,105.67	800.00 (250.00)		250.00
Stabilization		2,105,148.39	—	121,926.89	—	—	2,227,075.28
Post War Plan		7,479.59	—	68.99	—	—	7,548.58
Law Enforce		38.15	—	383.75	—	—	421.90
Totals	2,663,093.68	2,293,744.58	213,511.84	226,378.52	44,172.46	2,876,355.52	2,476,200.64

**TOWN OF FAIRHAVEN
SUMMARY OF APPROPRIATIONS AS OF JUNE 30, 2001**

	BALANCE FORWARD	ANNUAL T.M.	SPECIAL T.M.	TRANSFER	FINAL BUDGET	EXPENSES	BALANCE
TOWN MEETING							
Personal Services		900.00			900.00	900.00	-
Purchase of Services		2,600.00			2,600.00	1,711.88	888.12
Supplies		1,400.00			1,400.00	1,163.60	236.40
MODERATOR							
Personal Services		584.06			584.06	534.06	50.00
SELECTMEN							
Personal Services		181,339.63			181,339.63	181,275.67	63.96
Purchase of Services		8,971.00		500.00	9,471.00	8,009.59	1,461.41
Supplies		4,450.00			4,450.00	4,256.95	193.05
Other Expenses		4,400.00			4,400.00	2,994.25	1,405.75
Capital Outlay		-		724.99	724.99	724.99	-
FINANCE COMM							
Personal Services		1,500.00			1,500.00	974.61	525.39
Purchase of Services		225.00			225.00	96.16	128.84
Supplies		2,500.00			2,500.00	1,882.91	617.09
Other Expenses		300.00			300.00	190.00	110.00

	BALANCE FORWARD	ANNUAL T.M.	SPECIAL T.M.	TRANSFER	FINAL BUDGET	EXPENSES	BALANCE
TOWN ACCOUNTANT							
Personal Services		63,550.00			63,550.00	62,781.20	768.80
Purchase of Services		600.00			600.00	455.61	144.39
Supplies		300.00			300.00	249.61	50.39
Other Expenses		850.00			850.00	763.86	86.14
Town Audit		25,000.00			25,000.00	20,109.52	4,890.48
ASSESSORS							
Personal Services		162,913.60			162,913.60	161,410.21	1,503.39
Purchase of Services		17,425.00			17,425.00	17,425.00	-
Supplies		5,600.00			5,600.00	4,820.89	779.11
Other Expenses		3,900.00			3,900.00	2,357.27	1,542.73
TREASURER							
Personal Services		132,738.14			132,738.14	132,040.47	697.67
Purchase of Services		24,000.00			24,000.00	22,068.39	1,931.61
Supplies		4,100.00			4,100.00	948.07	3,151.93
Other Expenses		1,450.00			1,450.00	702.00	748.00
Tax Title		10,000.00			10,000.00	8,493.50	1,506.50
COLLECTOR							
Personal Services		136,880.81			136,880.81	129,930.05	6,950.76
Purchase of Services		17,950.00			17,950.00	16,382.18	1,567.82
Supplies		8,600.00			8,600.00	6,481.26	2,118.74
Other Expenses		3,025.00			3,025.00	2,477.36	547.64
LEGAL SERVICES							
		100,000.00	50,000.00		150,000.00	141,468.00	8,532.00

	BALANCE FORWARD	ANNUAL T.M.	SPECIAL T.M.	TRANSFER	FINAL BUDGET	EXPENSES	BALANCE
PERSONNEL BOARD							
Purchase of Services		250.00			250.00	-	250.00
Supplies		500.00			500.00	318.98	181.02
Other Expenses		250.00			250.00	240.00	10.00
DATA PROCESSING							
Purchase of Services		60,546.75			60,546.75	55,216.55	5,330.20
Supplies		7,500.00			7,500.00	6,788.77	711.23
Capital Outlay		5,500.00	102,627.00		108,127.00	108,127.00	-
TOWN CLERK							
Personal Services		64,402.08			64,402.08	64,078.58	323.50
Purchase of Services		3,050.00			3,050.00	1,959.13	1,090.87
Supplies		1,818.00		621.28	2,439.28	2,427.33	11.95
Other Expenses		1,195.00			1,195.00	285.00	910.00
ELECTION & REG							
Personal Services		25,210.00		4,748.00	29,958.00	27,344.13	2,613.87
Purchase of Services		3,200.00			3,200.00	2,970.00	230.00
Supplies		2,100.00			2,100.00	2,087.21	12.79
CONSERVATION COMM							
Personal Services		1,838.00			1,838.00	776.55	1,061.45
Purchase of Services		1,375.00			1,375.00	1,016.59	358.41
Supplies		950.00			950.00	921.08	28.92
Other Expenses		580.00			580.00	125.00	455.00

	BALANCE FORWARD	ANNUAL T.M.	SPECIAL T.M.	TRANSFER	FINAL BUDGET	EXPENSES	BALANCE
ENFORCEMENT AGENT		16,454.78			16,454.78	11,334.24	5,120.54
PLANNING BOARD							
Personal Services		3,030.90			3,030.90	1,784.23	1,246.67
Purchase of Services		3,600.00	(2,000.00)		1,600.00	1,372.41	227.59
Supplies		650.00	2,000.00		2,650.00	2,642.86	7.14
Other Expenses		500.00			500.00	180.00	320.00
ECONOMIC & PLAN DEVELOP							
Personal Services		60,233.00			60,233.00	52,496.58	7,736.42
Purchase of Services		1,200.00		500.00	1,700.00	1,156.13	543.87
Supplies		1,025.00			1,025.00	1,025.00	-
Other Charges & Exp		1,650.00			1,650.00	641.41	1,008.59
BOARD OF APPEALS							
Personal Services		3,370.00	500.00		3,870.00	3,632.74	237.26
Purchase of Services		1,375.00	300.00		1,856.77	1,856.47	10.30
Supplies		200.00			446.00	437.35	8.65
COMMISSION ON DISABILITY							
Purchase of Services		2,100.00			2,100.00	1,434.85	665.15
Supplies		600.00			600.00	600.00	-
Other Chges & Exp		900.00			900.00	108.00	792.00
Capital Outlay		1,500.00			1,500.00	1,245.00	255.00

	BALANCE FORWARD	ANNUAL T.M.	SPECIAL T.M.	TRANSFER	FINAL BUDGET	EXPENSES	BALANCE
TOWN HALL							
Personal Services		33,001.40			33,001.40	32,971.50	29.90
Purchase of Services		33,380.00			33,380.00	29,284.87	4,095.13
Supplies		3,000.00			3,000.00	2,578.41	421.59
TOWN REPORT		4,000.00			4,000.00	3,920.88	79.12
COUNCIL ON AGING							
Personal Services		89,370.68			89,370.68	85,046.02	4,324.66
Purchase of Services		8,700.00			8,700.00	8,700.00	-
Supplies		6,602.00			6,602.00	6,602.00	-
Other Expense		525.00			525.00	447.00	78.00
CONTRIBUTORY RETIRE		1,194,280.00			1,194,280.00	1,194,280.00	-
UNEMPLOYMENT COMP		25,000.00	15,000.00		40,000.00	22,402.45	17,597.55
FICA		145,000.00			145,000.00	132,902.32	12,097.68
NON-CONTRL. RETIREMENT		7,442.71	151.76		7,594.47	7,594.47	-
GROUP INSURANCE		1,350,000.00	230,000.00		1,580,000.00	1,549,699.85	30,300.15
TOWN INSURANCE		315,000.00			315,000.00	315,000.00	-
T-HALL REPAIRS	17,020.33	11,500.00			28,520.33	7,580.13	20,940.20

	BALANCE FORWARD	ANNUAL T.M.	SPECIAL T.M.	TRANSFER	FINAL BUDGET	EXPENSES	BALANCE
T-HALL HEAT PIPE REPAIRS							
T-HALL BOILER	5,503.08		8,000.00		8,000.00	6,851.64	1,148.36
TOTAL GENERAL GOV'T	22,523.41	4,433,507.54	406,578.76	7,532.04	4,870,141.75	2,948.37	2,554.71
PUBLIC SAFETY					-		-
POLICE DEPT							
Personal Services		1,553,740.80	151,115.00		1,704,855.80	1,701,453.29	3,402.51
Purchase of Services		105,130.00			105,130.00	105,130.00	-
Supplies		92,180.00	12,700.00		104,880.00	104,826.33	53.67
Other Expenses		1,000.00			1,000.00	969.00	31.00
Capital Outlay		68,550.00			68,550.00	67,695.00	855.00
Radio Repeat Infrs		10,000.00			10,000.00	9,292.90	707.10
Block Grant	347.73	4,993.00	3,045.00		8,385.73	2,240.31	6,145.42
Siren Repair		3,500.00			3,500.00	-	3,500.00
Construct Arbit Award			61,000.00		61,000.00	60,873.75	126.25
FIRE DEPT							
Personal Services		1,019,630.40			1,019,630.40	1,019,576.56	53.84
Purchase of Services		39,370.00			39,370.00	39,361.17	8.83
Supplies		19,100.00			19,100.00	19,098.39	1.61
Other Expenses		925.00			925.00	925.00	-
Capital Outlay		9,199.00	5,200.00	15,000.00	29,399.00	29,398.60	0.40
Fire Truck		20,000.00			20,000.00	18,665.00	1,335.00

	BALANCE FORWARD	ANNUAL T.M.	SPECIAL T.M.	TRANSFER	FINAL BUDGET	EXPENSES	BALANCE
FIRE ALARM							
Personal Services		7,442.61			7,442.61	7,436.01	6.60
Purchase of Services		2,782.00			2,782.00	2,763.14	18.86
Supplies		1,800.00			1,800.00	1,767.37	32.63
BUILDING DEPT							
Personal Services		118,996.97			118,996.97	118,712.25	284.72
Purchase of Services		2,302.00			2,302.00	2,075.99	226.01
Supplies		2,300.00			2,300.00	2,281.27	18.73
Other Expenses		950.00			950.00	950.00	-
WEIGHTS & MEASURES							
Personal Services		4,907.56			4,907.56	4,903.16	4.40
Purchase of Services		6.60			6.60	6.60	-
Supplies		400.00			400.00	94.29	305.71
Other Expenses		990.00			990.00	790.00	200.00
Capital Outlay		6,000.00			6,000.00	5,769.04	230.96
CIVIL DEFENSE							
Personal Services		2,361.85			2,361.85	2,359.10	2.75
Purchase of Services		5,985.00			5,985.00	4,724.20	1,260.80
Supplies		1,300.00			1,300.00	1,089.42	210.58
Capital Outlay		1,000.00			1,000.00	950.00	50.00

	BALANCE FORWARD	ANNUAL T.M.	SPECIAL T.M.	TRANSFER	FINAL BUDGET	EXPENSES	BALANCE
ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICER							
Personal Services		29,346.60			29,346.60	29,333.80	12.80
Purchase of Services		7,550.00			7,550.00	6,858.73	691.27
Supplies		3,650.00			3,650.00	2,473.75	1,176.25
Shelter New Building	903.45	23,000.00			23,903.45	-	23,903.45
TREE WARDEN		4,867.20			4,867.20	4,867.20	-
DUTCH ELM							
Personal Services		23,277.33			23,277.33	20,719.11	2,558.22
Purchase of Services		13,150.00			13,150.00	10,725.95	2,424.05
Supplies		1,880.00		500.00	2,380.00	2,299.90	80.10
SHELLFISH							
Personal Services		66,669.96			66,669.96	65,812.58	857.38
Purchase of Services		5,500.00			5,500.00	4,408.78	1,091.22
Supplies		12,150.00			12,150.00	11,953.94	196.06
Other Expenses		400.00			400.00	385.71	14.29
Capital Outlay		8,000.00			8,000.00	7,497.00	503.00
Shellfish Propagation		-		7.67	7.67	-	7.67
Union Wharf	22,196.67				22,196.67	5,815.00	16,381.67
Upweller	205.68	7,000.00			7,205.68	6,711.57	494.11
TOTAL PUBLIC SAFETY	23,653.53	3,313,283.88	233,060.00	15,507.67	3,585,505.08	3,516,040.16	69,464.92

	BALANCE FORWARD	ANNUAL T.M.	SPECIAL T.M.	TRANSFER	FINAL BUDGET	EXPENSES	BALANCE
HEALTH & SANITATION							
Personal Services		87,131.62			87,131.62	86,555.50	576.12
Purchase of Services		4,005.00	4,100.00	1,715.00	9,820.00	9,370.21	449.79
Supplies		7,675.00		150.00	7,825.00	5,002.41	2,822.59
Visiting Nurses		17,000.00			17,000.00	17,000.00	-
Other Expenses		1,650.00			1,650.00	1,645.01	4.99
Landfill Inspections		26,900.00			26,900.00	24,365.00	2,535.00
Hazardous Waste		13,962.00			13,962.00	12,184.85	1,777.15
SEMASS		195,029.00			195,029.00	174,451.67	20,577.33
Curbside Recycling		112,550.00			112,550.00	111,250.95	1,299.05
Bulky Pick-up	13,386.65	-			13,386.65	6,119.20	7,267.45
TOTAL HEALTH	13,386.65	465,902.62	4,100.00	1,865.00	485,254.27	447,944.80	37,309.47
HIGHWAY							
HIGHWAY DIVISION							
Personal Services		711,510.48	22,147.00		733,657.48	692,816.96	40,840.52
Purchase of Services		94,825.00		10,000.00	104,825.00	104,228.75	596.25
Supplies		74,300.00		11,500.00	85,800.00	85,800.00	-
Capital Outlay		89,223.65			89,223.65	86,851.97	2,371.68
Highway Rubbish		255,400.00			255,400.00	255,400.00	-
Hgwy Hardsurfacing		50,000.00			50,000.00	50,000.00	-
Sidewalk Repair		26,000.00			26,000.00	26,000.00	-
Hgwy Drainage		12,000.00			12,000.00	12,000.00	-
St Resurfacing		120,000.00			120,000.00	120,000.00	-
Roadwork	463,367.62	347,586.00			810,953.62	251,634.93	559,318.69

	BALANCE FORWARD	ANNUAL T.M.	SPECIAL T.M.	TRANSFER	FINAL BUDGET	EXPENSES	BALANCE
Landfill Transfer Stat	235,281.55				235,281.55	-	235,281.55
Engineering		2,500.00			2,500.00	200.00	2,300.00
Livsey Park	35,000.00	10,000.00			45,000.00	10,000.00	35,000.00
Macomb/Pimental Field	2,117.74				2,117.74	-	2,117.74
Street Lights		-			-	-	-
Pease Park Pump Stat					-	-	-
BPW Telephone System					-	-	-
Fuel Tank Replacement	34,355.47				34,355.47	3,295.95	31,059.52
Highway Landfill					-	-	-
BPW ADMINISTRATION							
Personal Services		103,415.94			103,415.94	103,415.68	0.26
Purchase of Services		2,530.00			2,530.00	2,078.43	451.57
Supplies		1,250.00			1,250.00	1,173.81	76.19
TOTAL HIGHWAY	770,122.38	1,900,541.07	22,147.00	21,500.00	2,714,310.45	1,804,896.48	909,413.97
VETERAN SERVICES							
Personal Services		15,758.13	450.00	286.00	16,494.13	16,493.57	0.56
Purchase of Services		16,000.00	8,200.00		24,200.00	23,973.31	226.69
Supplies		400.00			400.00	392.91	7.09
Other Expenses		25,350.00	14,150.00		39,500.00	39,336.47	163.53
Capital Outlay		250.00			250.00	199.98	50.02
TOTAL VETERAN SERVICES	-	57,758.13	22,800.00	286.00	80,844.13	80,396.24	447.89

	BALANCE FORWARD	ANNUAL T.M.	SPECIAL T.M.	TRANSFER	FINAL BUDGET	EXPENSES	BALANCE
SCHOOL DEPT							
Expenses		14,098,934.00	450,000.00		14,548,934.00	14,547,891.37	1,042.63
G.N.B. V.H.S.		658,507.00			658,507.00	658,507.00	-
B.C. Agri School		5,000.00	3,371.00		8,371.00	8,371.00	-
Middle Sch Boiler		135,000.00	200,000.00		335,000.00	236,280.92	98,719.08
Sch Technology Plan	36,200.28				36,200.28	20,234.91	15,965.37
Rogers Sch Sidewalk	1,433.70				1,433.70	-	1,433.70
Sch Zone Safe Lites	3,500.00				3,500.00		3,500.00
TOTAL SCHOOL DEPT	41,133.98	14,897,441.00	653,371.00	-	15,591,945.98	15,471,285.20	120,660.78
LIBRARY		447,206.00			447,206.00	447,206.00	-
RECREATION/UNCLASS							
RECREATION							
Personal Services		28,729.72			28,729.72	28,729.72	-
Purchase of Services		4,408.00			4,408.00	4,408.00	-
Supplies		45.00			45.00	44.10	0.90
PARK							
Personal Services		81,984.50			81,984.50	61,470.52	20,513.98
Purchase of Services		5,264.00	1,600.00		6,864.00	5,509.41	1,354.59
Supplies		3,300.00			3,300.00	2,986.90	313.10
CAPITAL OUTLAY		44,400.00			44,400.00	43,800.00	600.00

	BALANCE FORWARD	ANNUAL T.M.	SPECIAL T.M.	TRANSFER	FINAL BUDGET	EXPENSES	BALANCE
MEMORIAL DAY		2,500.00			2,500.00	1,808.09	691.91
ACADEMY BLDG	5,666.33	5,000.00			10,666.33	3,465.52	7,200.81
FIRE MUSEUM	837.13	2,000.00			2,837.13	443.32	2,393.81
FORT PHOENIX	4,247.73	1,000.00			5,247.73	2,879.45	2,368.28
HISTORICAL COMM	837.86	500.00			1,337.86	934.24	403.62
MOBY DICK TRAIL	709.00	200.00			909.00	-	909.00
OLD STONE SCHOOL	1,151.62	1,000.00			2,151.62	2,151.62	-
CTR HIST DISTRICT		15,000.00			15,000.00	-	15,000.00
GRAFFITI CLEAN-UP	647.95				647.95	-	647.95
MASS RELIEF PROGRAM	320.00				320.00	-	320.00
T. H. TREASURER FLOOR	212.89				212.89	-	212.89
PRIOR YR BILLS	9.02				9.02	-	9.02
SISTER CITY COMM	14.23		5,000.00		5,014.23	-	5,014.23
BEAUTIFICATION COMM			350.00		350.00	349.00	1.00

	BALANCE FORWARD	ANNUAL T.M.	SPECIAL T.M.	TRANSFER	FINAL BUDGET	EXPENSES	BALANCE
MATTAPOISETT RIVER DAM	5,000.00				5,000.00	-	5,000.00
BUZZARDS BAY COMMISS		1,520.00			1,520.00	1,520.00	-
RAPE CRISIS PROGRAM		2,000.00			2,000.00	2,000.00	-
TOWN-BY-LAW CODE			7,200.00		7,200.00	-	7,200.00
COMMISSION ON DISABILITY	1,785.95				1,785.95	1,658.22	127.73
GOVERN ACCESS-CABLE	319.38		4,000.00		4,319.38	4,048.49	270.89
MUNICIPAL DEBT		2,176,631.51			2,176,631.51	2,097,726.23	78,905.28
RECREATION CENTER	78,000.00				78,000.00	-	78,000.00
FORT PHOENIX HIST PRES	44,000.00				44,000.00	151.20	43,848.80
CLAIMS SETTLEMENT	25,000.00				25,000.00	22,850.71	2,149.29
SURPLUS EQUIPMENT BID	5,000.00				5,000.00	-	5,000.00
MILLICENT LIBRARY PRES	20,000.00				20,000.00	11,259.90	8,740.10
TOTAL GENERAL GOVT.	892,579.04	27,895,122.97	1,356,206.76	46,690.71	30,190,599.48	28,735,219.91	1,455,379.57

	BALANCE FORWARD	ANNUAL T.M.	SPECIAL T.M.	TRANSFER	FINAL BUDGET	EXPENSES	BALANCE
WATER DIVISION							
Personal Services		331,187.51	10,579.00		341,766.51	321,863.57	19,902.94
Purchase of Service		274,510.48			274,510.48	205,500.32	69,010.16
Supplies		115,600.00			115,600.00	93,177.85	22,422.15
Other Expense		650.00			650.00	427.00	223.00
Debt Service		210,965.99			210,965.99	210,965.98	0.01
Water System Eval '01		155,000.00			155,000.00	48,091.82	106,908.18
Newbury Ave	21,000.00	-			21,000.00	21,000.00	-
Cross Conn Survey	15,000.00	-			15,000.00	-	15,000.00
Wtr Rodman/Summer	98,889.47				98,889.47	98,889.47	-
Water Main Extension		19,134.00			19,134.00	19,134.00	-
Water Extension	200,000.00				200,000.00	17,109.16	182,890.84
Water Meters '99	39,977.04				39,977.04	39,977.04	-
Leak Detection	14,235.42				14,235.42	8,550.00	5,685.42
TOTAL WATER DIVISION	389,101.93	1,107,047.98	10,579.00	-	1,506,728.91	1,084,686.21	422,042.70
SEWER DIVISION							
Personal Services		595,487.83	21,042.00		616,529.83	545,264.34	71,265.49
Purchase of Services		340,650.00			340,650.00	330,411.08	10,238.92
Supplies		115,855.00			115,855.00	80,532.75	35,322.25
Debt Service		559,657.00			559,657.00	536,130.76	23,526.24
Sludge Removal			100,000.00		100,000.00	70,359.80	29,640.20
Waste Treatmnt Plt			85,000.00		85,000.00	-	85,000.00
Design Nancy St	16,459.48				16,459.48	540.36	15,919.12
W1 Sewer Extension	30,000.00				30,000.00	-	30,000.00
Treatmnt Plt Odor	40,000.00				40,000.00	-	40,000.00

	BALANCE FORWARD	ANNUAL T.M.	SPECIAL T.M.	TRANSFER	FINAL BUDGET	EXPENSES	BALANCE
WI Sewer Project	2,602.60				2,602.60	-	2,602.60
WI Pump Stat-Land	2,414.50				2,414.50	-	2,414.50
Shunt Efficiency	1,296.37				1,296.37	-	1,296.37
Swr Coll Sys Design	57,498.61				57,498.61	22,794.49	34,704.12
Chlorine Resid Study	23,530.34				23,530.34	9,891.70	13,638.64
South St Pump Station	25,147.28				25,147.28	-	25,147.28
TOTAL SEWER DIVISION	198,949.18	1,611,649.83	206,042.00	-	2,016,641.01	1,595,925.28	420,715.73

FAIRHAVEN CONTRIBUTORY RETIREMENT SYSTEM

The following schedule summarizes the operations for:

INCOME

Balance on hand 01/01/00	22,199,432.76	
Town appropriation	1,240,424.00	
Housing Authority Appropriation	21,452.00	
Contributions from Members	623,285.75	
Members Make-up payments	16,641.97	
Investment Income	(1,122,152.23)	
Cola Received	119,664.86	
Reimbursement from other systems	15,831.73	
Federal Grant Reimbursements	18,291.73	
Interest not refunded	323.35	
		23,133,195.92

DISBURSEMENTS

Pensions Paid	1,160,335.78	
Annuities Paid	187,331.81	
Cola Paid	211,365.49	
Refund to members	14,526.12	
Reimbursement to other systems	29,802.29	
Transfers to other systems	113,083.67	
Administrative Expense	147,812.39	
Option B Refunds	33,668.72	
Principle Adjustment Account	727.70	
		1,898,653.97
		21,234,541.95

BALANCES

Cash	340,946.66
Prit Fund	20,157,195.21
Accounts Receivable	736,400.08
	21,234,541.95

BOARD OF ASSESSORS

The year 2001 has come to a close. It most certainly was a challenging year for the office. I personally experienced several health problems and I would like to thank Assistant Assessor Jane Bettercourt for her support and dedication to the office during the past year.

In July, Carol Chase resigned as Senior Clerk and has relocated to Las Vegas after fifteen years of service in our office. Debbie Santos transferred from the Collectors Office to replace Carol.

As I prepare this report, the tri-annual revaluation is complete and ready for the Department of Revenue to review. I was very disappointed that we were not able to have the new appraisal program installed for the revaluation. New Growth and Sales Reviews were completed early in the year but all computer entries were put on hold for the transfer to the new system. When it was evident that the new program would not be available, we proceeded with the data entry. The revaluation spreadsheet reports could have generated in a much more efficient manner.

Taxpayers will see various increases in some areas of Fairhaven based on Market Values; most significant are waterfront and water proximity properties.

A preliminary tax bill has been issued based on last year's value plus all proposed increases due to permits, subdivisions, etc. The actual bills will be issued in April.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS

Jeanne Reedy

EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

Fairhaven Emergency Management's mission is to provide a comprehensive and integrated emergency management system that coordinates community resources to protect lives, property and the environment through mitigation, preparedness, response and recovery from all natural and man-made hazards that may impact the Town of Fairhaven.

On September 11th, 2001 the world as we knew it changed forever. The role of Emergency Management has expanded greatly. We must be prepared for any number of new threats. We, as emergency responders are now faced with more hazards than ever before. As most of these new hazards are man-made, the volunteers of Fairhaven Emergency Management are involved in more training than ever before, and we are expecting more training from the Federal Government. (FEMA) (Federal Emergency Management Agency) is strongly recommending recruiting new volunteers to staff shelters and to assist with communications.

We welcomed three new volunteers this year, and said good-bye to several long-standing volunteers. We wish them well in their new endeavors. We also received some (new to us) used equipment, which helped, in our never-ending struggle to improve our services to the town. We received some used office furniture from the Wareham office of Nstar.

In addition to our regular weekend duty nights, lending assistance to the Police and Fire Departments, we assisted with winter storms and monitored the tropical storm activity. We did standby duty at several accidents with poles and or wires down. In March, we had an unusually heavy rainstorm that dumped over seven inches of rain on Fairhaven in a short amount of time. Setting a local record, this caused heavy street flooding and many flooded cellars. The volunteers assisted with closing streets, pumping flooded cellars and opened the middle school as a shelter as requested by the American Red Cross for displaced residents. We also opened the Wood School in December, as a shelter for displaced residents from the gasoline tanker that rolled over on Route 195.

We hope that by the time you read this, we will have acquired the former Council On Aging building on Sconticut Neck Road as our new home. We are in need of more space for the various duties we are involved in, mitigation, preparedness, response, recovery, and communications with Federal, State and other local Emergency Management Agency's.

Respectfully,

Marc N. Jodoin, Director
Fairhaven Emergency Management Agency

COUNCIL ON AGING

The Fairhaven Council on Aging, as part of the state network of Elder Services continues to provide advocacy and support for seniors by working with them to remain independent and improve their quality of life.

The council is a member of (CIRCA) Cape and Island Rural Council on aging which meets four times a year. The Council is also a member of the Massachusetts Council on Aging.

The Council on Aging applied for and received, grant money from the Executive Office of Elder Affairs to supplement local appropriations. The grant money received this year was used to fund a Van Driver and to pay a Receptionist. The Van Driver takes seniors grocery shopping, on mall trips and does medical transportation. The layout of the new Senior Center requires us to have a receptionist that will give direction to people when they enter the building, to answer the telephone, relay calls to different departments, handle paperwork, and activity scheduling as needed.

The Nutrition Program consists of Meals on Wheels and Congregate Meals at the center five days a week. Meals on Wheels delivered 22,306 meals to frail homebound elders in our community. The Congregate meals served amounted to 9,525 meals at the Senior Center. Stipend volunteers who give many hours of their time deliver the meals.

Our Outreach Coordinator, Jean Silver, was hired through a private grant to work with area agencies to help the elderly. During the year she has helped hundreds of seniors with many problems.

To assist the Senior Center, we have one volunteer with the Elder Service Corps. Bertha Rose has worked with the Social Day Program for 14-years.

The Council on Aging provides, through the Senior Network, approximately 1,700-Bulletins that are distributed throughout the town to keep seniors informed of the activities at the Senior Center and updated information on senior's issues. The mission of the Council on Aging is to provide advocacy and support system for seniors by working with them toward the ultimate goal of maintenance of their independence and improvement of their quality of life. The Council receives approximately 18,732 calls a year for services.

The services provided in 2001 included:

Social Day Program
Medical Escort (All Volunteers)
Reassurance Program
Legal Assistance
Food Stamp Application

Outreach Program
Poker Club
Flu Clinic Transportation
Grocery Shopping
Intergenerational Program

Mall Trips
Home Delivered Meals
Fuel Assistance
Congregate Meals
Tai-Chi Classes
Craft Group
Massage Therapy
Aerobics

Tax Assistance
Transportation to voting
Transportation to Flu Clinic
Social Groups
Shine Program
Transportation to Socials
Social Day Transportation
Assisting other Agencies

The Social Day Program has struggled somewhat in the past few years. We do not get referrals from other agencies because of the cuts in the state budget. We have been trying to maintain this program and to increase clientele to keep the program running. The program provides social activities for elders that require daytime supervision and non-medical assistance in a community setting. We also provide transportation for the Social Day client.

Our Social Day staff:

Joyce Cookinham, Coordinator
Kerri Taylor, Assistant
Bertha Rose, Elder Service
Gloria Farias, Volunteer

Senior Aide Program:

Libby Clapp-Nutrition Aide
Al Garganta-Nutrition Aide
Irene Mandeville-Senior Center Aide
Winifred Golas-Senior Center Aide

The following grants were received during the year:

Formula Grant --\$19,560
Private Grant -- \$25,000

The Council on Aging would like to thank all the Town Departments for their continued support during the year. Thank you Stanley Wojcik for all the extra assistance you provide to the elderly population at the housing complexes. We would also like to give a special thanks to the Board of Public Works for keeping our vehicles in good working order. I would like to thank the COA/Recreation Committee for all the time and effort they put into making our dreams come true. We would also like to thank the citizens of this town for their generous donations and good wishes.

Respectfully submitted,

Betty S. Lacereda, Director
Virginia Carey, Chairperson
Joe Borelli, Vice-Chairman
Doris Blanchard, Secretary
John Keary
Al Borges
Joan Benoit
Audrey Gillum

COMMISSION ON DISABILITY

- 1) Updated its accessible directory.
- 2) Completed the residents' needs survey.
- 3) Attended one regional meeting.
- 4) Attended two Training Classes.
- 5) Supplied two subscriptions to the Millicent Library (Disability Funding News & Exceptional Parenting).
- 6) Made one cable TV access show.
- 7) Several individuals were helped in the areas of: Housing, Access, HP Parking, Income and Complaints.
- 8) Attended Adaptive Mobility Equipment Show in Boston.
- 9) Kept abreast of ADA State & Federal law changes.

Respectfully submitted:

Charles K. Murphy, Chairperson
Trina Bigham, Vice Chairperson
Paula Barry, Secretary
Eileen M. Lowney, Treasurer
Paul Schroeder
Joseph A. Borelli

VETERANS SERVICES

The Office of Veterans' Services granted financial aid and medical assistance to nineteen veterans, their families, spouses or widows during the year 2001. The cases were divided as follows:

W.W. II

Korea 2

Vietnam 6

The above caseload consisted of nine veterans, one spouse and nine widows.

Unemployed veterans are being referred to the Division of Employment for aid in finding employment or training for future employment. Some veterans have been referred to the Veterans' Administration clinic on Elm Street, New Bedford for assistance in receiving Veterans' Administration aid through their hospital and clinics. A large number of resident veterans have taken advantage of the new VA prescription medication program. Several veterans have been referred to the Veterans Transition House in New Bedford for various treatment programs and several have, through this office, applied for and received disability benefits from the V A and SSI.

In addition to financial and medical assistance, the department has been active in reaching out to veterans in other regards. The Korean Memorial Certificate and World War II certificate programs are still active and a certificate program is being planned for Vietnam Veterans. Again this year we had several World War II veterans apply for and receive their high school diploma through "Operation Recognition." Many veterans have contacted this office for miscellaneous information such as; transportation problems to veteran hospitals, applications for burial in national cemeteries, burial plaques, award certificates for tax abatements and applications for military medals, ribbons and other military records.

The department is currently building a database of all Fairhaven veterans that have served throughout the history of the town. It is important to honor all veterans, both living and deceased. The database will be a great asset in granting the appropriate honors to our veterans.

Respectfully submitted,

James A. Cochran
Veterans' Agent

HISTORICAL COMMISSION

ANNUAL REPORT

The Fairhaven Historical Commission continued to fulfill its duties in the year 2001 by maintaining the Town's historic properties. The Academy building landscaping was completed through the efforts of the Fairhaven Historical Society.

The Old Stone Schoolhouse roof was replaced and the building was painted courtesy of the Bristol County Sheriff's Departments Pre-release program.

Fort Phoenix saw the gun carriages weatherproofed and most importantly the Major Fearing plaque recreated and installed, as well as the re-installation of another missing plaque.

The house plaque program continues through the efforts of Commission member and Millicent Library archivist, Debra Charpentier.

The Commission plans for 2002 include replacement of the Academy building tower railing as well as painting of the building as well as landscaping of the Old Stone school grounds.

Respectfully submitted,

David M. Depres
Chairman

Members: Dr. John Badwey
Ms. Debra Charpentier
Mr. David Despres
Ms. Dorothy Gammans, Secretary
Ms. Gail Isaksen
Ms. Laura Knipe
Ms. Ellen Rogers

Associates: Mr. Charles Cromwell
Mr. John Frates Jr.
Ms. Wayne Oliviera
Mr., Ms. Judith Perry
Mr. Frank Resendes
Mr. Michael Silvia
Ms. Sharon Simmons

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

Shellfish Activities

The Department of Natural Resources had another busy year. Shellfish Constable Dan Costa was extremely busy organizing, supervising, and concluding one of the largest scale shellfish restoration projects in the state. The creation of The Summer Job Program allowed the Department of Natural Resources to once again expand our upweller project and increase the cost effectiveness in the process. Up to 3 million – 1-2 millimeter seed purchased in June grew to a good plantable size of 10-20 millimeter by November. The students employed were given the unique opportunity of earning money, while learning about aquaculture, and the marine environment. Without their energy, enthusiasm, and attention to detail, a project of this magnitude would not have been possible.

In the year 2001 a substantial amount of shellfishing activity was observed, with the shorelines of Little Bay, Sconticut Neck, and West Island, yielding an ample amount of shellfish. North Cove, after being planted with 2,000 bushels of quahogs, was opened this spring. To date a fair amount of bay scallops are being harvested by recreational interests only. Again this year the scarcity of soft shell clams has been mentioned regularly. The Department of Natural Resources will begin soft shell clam, and bay scallop restoration in 2002.

In the spring of 2001, utilizing funds from the New Bedford Harbor Trustee Council “Shellfish Restoration Grant”, the Department of Natural Resources began the second year of shellfish restoration. Listed below is how these funds were utilized.

Propagation of Shellfish

- A. 1,526 bushel contaminated relay – Round Cove
- B. 200 bushel clean relay – Seniors Cove
- C. 400,000 seed quahogs – Seniors Cove
- D. 1 million seed quahogs – East Cove
- E. 1.5 million – seed quahogs Little Bay
- F. 500,000 seed quahogs – Deacons Cove
- G. 500,000 seed quahogs – Camp Sea Space to Seaview Ave.
- H. 500,000 seed quahogs – Stony Cove

Enforcement and Management

- A. Hired two additional deputies.
- B. Hired five high school students for shellfish growout projects.
- C. Environmental Police night details.
- D. Contracted fishermen for shellfish predator control (green crabs).

Harbormaster Activities

The boating season of 2001 kicked off with warmer than usual temperatures in the late spring and developed into an early and long season according to Harbor Master, Gary Golas. His department provided a host of services to boaters ranging from safe boating education, visitor services, pollution control, emergency rescue and law enforcement services. In March, he participated jointly with the City of New Bedford in an International Cruise Ship Convention in Miami, Florida with the goal of attracting more visits from cruise line companies to the harbor. This first year effort resulted in some quick and very exciting news with Regal Cruise Line plans to call on the harbor for up to sixteen visits in the summer of 2002. That means over 1,000 passengers per port call will be visiting our shops and attractions! The Harbormaster Department had also noticed an increase in out of town pleasure boaters visiting the port.

The Harbormaster had been working very closely with the Town Assessors and Tax Collector in the billing and collection of boat excise taxes. For the third year in a row, the town's boat excise tax receipts have increased substantially. Likewise over 90% of boaters now comply with the town's boat sticker regulation. Equally important the dock fee collection effort from fishing vessels using Union Wharf has been better than it has been in years. All fishing vessels are staying current with their payments and the town has met some success with many long past due accounts.

The Department's waste pump-out service continued to operate very successfully. With the help of Joe Dawicki, Assistant Harbormaster, at the helm, over 450 recreational boats in New Bedford/Fairhaven harbor were serviced. It was a challenging year with regards to safe boating. Sadly, a boater died in a kayak accident while paddling around the West Island area in May. A youngster also suffered minor injuries when he fell from his inflatable and was hit by his prop in June. There were some boat fires which caused extensive damage to at least two boats...one being a million dollar yacht at D.N. Kelley Shipyard. The Department did notice a considerable drop in oil pollution cases in New Bedford Harbor this summer. For the third season in a row, Harbormaster Gary Golas had teamed up with Lt. Donald Joseph and Police Safety Officer Macy Joseph of the Fairhaven Police Department to offer a series of Massachusetts Safe Boating Courses to over 125 individuals, many of whom were young adults.

Current department programs and services include enforcement of all local, state and federal shellfish, waterway and boating regulations, maintenance of all marine facilities, and the promotion of programs to restore productive shellfish and waterway sectors.

2001 Department-Generated Revenue Sources:

Union Wharf Large Vessel Dockage Fees	\$28,480.00
Union Wharf Day Boat Vessel Dockage Fees	\$0.00
Boat Excise Tax	\$58,004.20
Natural Resource Permits/Licenses	\$20,200.00
Boat Stickers	\$7,660.00
Boat Parking Ramp Stickers/Daily Rates	\$4,965.95
Fines/Citations	\$1,625.00
Total Town Revenues 2001 -	\$120,935.15

Permits and Licenses for 2001:

Commercial	34	\$6,800
Commercial Dredge	1	\$300
Commercial Student	6	\$480
Commercial Scallop	0	\$0
Non-Resident	21	\$2,100
Resident	526	\$10,520
Senior Citizens	391	Free
Total		\$20,200

Boat Stickers/Parking Stickers

Boat Stickers	760	\$7,660.00
Parking/Ramp Fees	334	\$4,965.95
Total		\$12,625.95

Respectfully submitted,

Gary S. Golas, CHM
Harbor Master

Dan Costa,
Shellfish Constable

BOARD OF APPEALS

The Board of Appeals met twelve times and considered seventy-one petitions during FY 2001. Most petitions were acted upon favorably.

Curtis L. Lopes
Chairman

ANNUAL REPORT

BUILDING DEPARTMENT

2001 was a year of accomplishments for this department. Fairhaven High School was granted their occupancy permit. The construction of a new Senior Citizens and Recreation Center on Huttleston Avenue, Addition and Alterations to the Fire Station and a three story addition to the Hampton Inn were all completed this year. The demolition of the old service station became the new home for 7-Eleven. The following new construction was started the end of this year. Walgreen's Brook's Pharmacy, Teixeira's Auto Sales, new Post Office and the new Animal Shelter. Many new businesses opened in existing buildings that were renovated. Numerous new Commercial buildings and renovations, new Single Family dwellings, additions and alterations have kept this department busy with reviews and inspections.

Building Permits Issued for 2001 with Construction Cost

Single Family Dwellings	26	\$3,310,000.00
Commercial Projects/Renovations	91	5,161,175.00
Additions & Alterations	107	1,790,450.00
Shed/Garages	55	334,705.00
Miscellaneous	442	1,766,115.00
Totals	721	\$12,362,445.00

Total Fees Collected

Building Permits	\$97,939.00
Wiring Permits	28,660.00
Plumbing Permits	11,567.00
Gas Permits	7,038.00
Building Inspections	4,021.00
Occupancy Permits	7,190.00
Misc.	160.00
Total	\$156,575.00

This Department would like to thank all the inspectors for their dedication and support that help to run this department smoothly.

Respectfully submitted,

Wayne Fostin, Building Commissioner
 Fran Robillard, Administrative Assistant
 William Alphonse, Plumbing Inspector
 Joseph Cardoza, Gas Inspector
 Randall Durrigan, Chief Wire Inspector
 George J. Gracia – Associate Wire
 Andrew Olsen, Associate Wire

FAIRHAVEN HOUSING AUTHORITY

ANNUAL REPORT

2001

The Current Board of Commissioners of the Fairhaven Housing Authority are:

OFFICE	NAME	ADDRESS	TERM EXPIRES
Commissioner	Anne D. Silveira	55 Massasoit Avenue	4/2004
Vice Chairman	James R. Leal	17 Prince Street	4/2005
Treasurer	Victor Oliveira Jr.	125 Bridge Street	4/2002
Assistant Treasurer/ State Appointee	Robert A. Thayer	565 Sonticut Neck Road	2/2005
Commissioner	John E. Keary	12 John Street	4/2003

The Fairhaven Housing Authority holds its Regular Meeting on the second Thursday of the month. The Election of Officers is conducted at the Authority's Board of Commissioners Annual Meeting in May.

Presently the Fairhaven Housing Authority is administering two-hundred-seventy nine (279) units of Elderly and Handicap and six (6) units of Family and Handicap.

The Developments are:

667-1	Green Meadows 1-40 McGann Terrace	40	Units	Completed in 1966
667-2	Green Meadows (Addition) 100 McGann Terrace	52	Units	Completed in 1971
667-3	Oxford Terrace 275 Main Street	108	Units	Completed in 1976
667-4	Dana Court 180 Adams Street	55	Units	Completed in 1982

667-5	Anthony Haven 227 Main Street	24	Units	Completed in 1989
705-1	Family Housing 32-42 Ash Street	6	Units	Completed in 1989

Eligibility Requirements for our Elderly and Handicapped Household Programs, located at our 667 –Projects: 1-2-3-4 & 5, requires a minimum age of 60, except for handicapped applicants. Not more than a maximum of 13.5% of handicapped households may occupy our Elderly 667 Programs. The size of the household determines the income limits. The maximum income for a one {1} person household is \$26,900 and for a two {2} person household is \$30,700.00. There is no longer an asset limit.

Our Family Housing located at our 705-1 Project, requires that the eligibility of minimum age be determined by “Emancipated Minors”, these applicants could be under eighteen {18} years of age and considered capable of independent living. The size of the household would be determined by the number of bedrooms. Our family units consist of three {3} duplexes, a total of six {6} family units. There are five {5} three {3} bedroom units, one {1} two {2} bedroom barrier-free handicap unit, which is wheel chair accessible. The size of the household determines the income limits. The maximum income for a one {1} person household is \$26,900.00, for two {2} \$30,700.0, for three {3} \$34,550.00, for four {4} \$38,400.00, for five {5} \$41,450.00 and six {6} \$44,550.00. There is no longer an asset limit.

These developments are financed by a grant issued from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts which exercises general supervision over the Authority through the Department of Housing and Community Developments.

This Year In May of 2001 the Authority completed installation of an elevator at our Dana Court Project and next year plans are to go out to bid for three {3} additional elevators one {1} at Green Meadows and two {2} at our Oxford Terrace Project

During the past year there has been a turn over of thirty-one {31} apartments. There were ten {10} deaths, thirteen {13} tenants went into nursing homes, two {2} moved out to live with relatives, one {1} Disabled who was over income, and five {5} transfers.

The Fairhaven Housing Authority is locally managed by Stanley A. Wojcik, the Executive Director, Urania {Raine} M. Oliveira, the Assistant Executive Director, Laurie A. Powers, the Administrative Assistant and Maintenance Personnel, John E. Menezes, Steven P. Espindola and Jean J. Rousseau.

Respectfully submitted,

Stanley A. Wojcik
Executive Director

TREE DEPARTMENT

At the beginning of 2001, planting was done on two of our newest subdivisions, Mark Drive and Deerfield Lane. These streets plus other locations in Town were lined with Bradford Pear and Flowering Cherry trees which should blossom brightly this Spring.

Fifteen trees were taken down due to road construction, ageing, storm damage and diseases. Our trimming program is a little behind schedule due to the large amount of area to be covered. Hopefully with the receiving of our new bucket truck we will be able to do much more trimming on our larger trees and it will also give our employees safer and better working conditions.

The Spring of 2002 will continue with more planting of trees on our roadways to make Fairhaven a greener and brighter community.

Respectively submitted,

Antone Medeiros, Jr.
Tree Warden

FAIRHAVEN POLICE DEPARTMENT

TOWN REPORT FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2001

This past year was a year of personnel change. We saw the retirement of Off. Robert Wilkinson with thirty years of service, Off. Roland Lavallee after eighteen years of service, Off. Michael Lemaire, who took a leave of absence to return to the military service, and Off. Antone Lopes who served as a part-time officer, town sanitarian and full time officer over a period of decades. While this caused a serious personnel shortage, the manpower needs are currently being addressed. With the continued support of the Board of Selectmen and the finance committee our "Christmas Present" was the appointment of six new recruits who began the academy on December 17th. Officers Frank Sniezek, Marc Darmofal, James Bettencourt, Scott Joseph, Kevin Kobza and Laurie Peloquin will be on the streets next July. A note of thanks must be given to Selectman Brian Bowcock, Michael Silvia and Win Eckenreiter. This entire Board of Selectmen participated directly in the whole selection process devoting many hours to the interviews and background reviews. Because of their efforts we believe that the best potential candidates were chosen, which will affect the force and the town for many years to come.

Sadly, the recent year saw the passing of two well known, former police officers. Officer Daniel Rezendes (Ret.) and Police Chief Peter Barcellos (Ret.) worked together on this department for many years. We will remember both men for their sense of humor, their friendship and their dedication to Fairhaven.

There was a significant shift in the operation of the ambulance service. For several years we have been struggling with ambulance issues ranging from a shared service with the fire department to meeting the requirements of advanced life support. Progressing in a direction that at least seems to be most favorable to the Town, we continue to participate in emergency medical care and transport, but have shifted the operation and the administration of the ambulances to the fire department.

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE:

Sgt. Gary Souza and Off. Pam Bourgault continued to provide a resource to victims and an obstacle to suspects in more than 483 domestic violence cases. Because domestic violence remains a significant issue requiring resources and expense, we would like to present a summary of criminal charges brought forward as a result of domestic violence intervention.

D.V. Unit Case Intake By Type (submitted by Sgt. Gary Souza-many cases had more than 1 type of offense but only 1 offense is listed per case)

Assault with Intent to Murder	2
Rape	1
Assault and Battery	206
Assault and Battery by Dangerous Weapon	19
Assault by Means of a Dangerous Weapon	8
Indecent Assault on a Child	1
Threats	50
Violation of Restraining Orders	41
Domestic Disturbances	140
Simple Assault	3
Malicious Destruction of Property	15
Intimidation of Witness	3
Stalking	8
Breaking and Entering	4
Criminal Harassment	9
Assault and Battery by Dangerous Weapon	19
Harassing Telephone Calls	5
Malicious Destruction of Property	15
Child Neglect	13
Illegal Wiretapping	1
Home Invasion	1
Total Cases 2001:	483

In addition, Off. Bourgault provided follow-up and proactive programs dealing with seniors.

Elder at Risk Investigations: 45

PATROL FORCE:

The patrol force also had another busy year with more than 16,000 log entries. Under the overall direction of Lt. Donald Joseph, sergeants and officers issued over 1,100 traffic citations and investigated 800 vehicle accidents. They charged thirty persons with driving under the influence and either arrested or summonsed 700 other individuals on a variety of complaints. The patrol force remains the backbone of any police department usually being the first contact we have with the public. In 2001 Sgt. Souza created a "Citizen's Survey" to assist us in learning what our residents want and need. The purpose was actually to determine how we are responding to those needs and what residential issues need to be improved upon. Overall the three major concerns were residential burglaries, school safety and traffic problems. While the department might have a slightly different opinion as to ranking, the problems we face are clearly understood.

The individual shifts are supervised by Sgt. Stephen Foster, Sgt. Donald Dompierre, Sgt. David Sobral and Sgt. Michael Myers.

DETECTIVE DIVISION:

The detective division was also very busy in 2001. Under the direction of Sgt. Arthur Shepard they had 562 referred cases as outlined:

death investigations – 14, vandalism to property – 74, assault & battery w/dangerous weapon – 1, vandalism to motor vehicle – 117, armed robbery – 1, controlled substances – 13, rape – 6, motor vehicle violations – 1, breaking and entering – 75, open and gross lewdness – 3, attempted b & e – 16, larceny exceeding \$250 – 30, larceny not exceeding \$250 – 30, larceny by check – 48, larceny of motor vehicle – 19, forgery – 14, shoplifting – 2, receiving stolen property – 2.

We are finding that our duties and responsibilities continue to grow. Years ago we focused on traffic safety and drunk drivers. Then, domestic violence was finally recognized as a major problem deserving much more attention. In addition, we are also dealing with the threat and danger in our schools and the potential for terrorism anywhere. Now that 9-1-1 is no longer synonymous just with emergency dispatching, public safety is reaching out in even more directions. The cooperation and support received from the employees, other town departments, board of selectmen, finance committee, and town meeting has been very refreshing during these challenges.

Sincerely,

Edward Silva
Police Chief

THE MILLICENT LIBRARY

The new century started without too much turmoil as far as the library was concerned. Quick action by the Fairhaven Fire Department averted a disaster on Presidents Day when one of the circulators showed its age by freezing up and smoking. The renovation of the building and its systems received a lot of focused attention during 2001.

Trustees

Raymond Mitchell passed away this year. He and his family have been avid proponents and supporters of the Millicent Library since before Mr. Mitchell joined the Board in 1954. His gentility and perspicacity helped make our meetings productive and pleasurable.

Staff

The staff kept on with the challenges of ever-changing technology and “improvements” to the system. Carolyn Longworth, the Library Director, besides her administrative duties, kept on with the web page which averages over 1,000 hits per month with the help of her home computer and digital camera. She also is active in the Sister City Committee and the Fairhaven Rotary Club.

Juanita Goulart, Assistant Director, is also the Reference Librarian and is in charge of Technical Services and orders the nonfiction and CDs for the collection. She set up and maintains our new DVD collection. Juanita helped research the options for the new pension plan.

Lisa Howard is the Youth Services Librarian and in addition to providing collection development, programming, and reference for young people, has been very successful in getting grants for children’s activities.

Debra Charpentier is the archivist and facilities manager and has been involved in grants for preservation and building surveys. She also sets up the exhibits and belongs to the Historical Commission. The current focus on building repairs and improvements as well as the new technologies of, and demands for, historical research has made Debby a very busy person.

Mary Jane Richard orders the fiction, videos, and audio books and also runs the very successful Book Discussion Group. The final meeting of this group each season includes a special program which has to be planned way in advance.

Doreen Skidmore and Robert Gonsalves work at the front desk doing the circulation and interlibrary loans as well as answering questions and finding materials. They constitute the “front line” of our troops and must contend with public service issues as well as the increasing volumes of Interlibrary Loans. Increasingly they have had to become computer experts as well, troubleshooting the machines that get used all day long by different patrons with different levels of computer skills.

Abby and Jeremy Sweeney were our super pages earlier this year, but have moved on. They were replaced by a couple of very young but energetic students, Lily Lovinger and Paola Mabasa.

Stephen Foster is the custodian and resident history expert.

Laurie Powers is our bookkeeper who wrestles with our bills and our billets-doux from the state and local revenueurs assisting our Trustee Treasurers, Christopher Bunnell and Robert Kenworthy.

The Trustees also put a great deal of effort in setting up a new retirement/pension plan which provides a lot more opportunity and flexibility for the staff members who are employees of the library nonprofit corporation and therefore not tied in with the town employees benefit system.

Volunteers

Phyllis McClain, Florence Whalley, Beth Trull, Cal Thornton, and Pat DeSouza, our Technical Services Volunteers, continued to help prepare items for circulation. In FY2001, we received over 2,000 hours of volunteer service, excluding that of the Trustees and Friends. In May we held our annual Volunteer Recognition Day. Amy Rogers provided us with hundreds of hand-painted bookmarks.

The Archives volunteers are listed further on in this report.

Children's Department

The Children's Department had an active year during 2001. Preschool story time continued on Wednesday mornings during the winter, spring and fall. The library received many class visits from local elementary schools and scout troops.

During February school vacation, the library hosted a program with Henry Lappen, a.k.a. Henry the Juggler. Mr. Lappen offered a program of comic juggling and gave tips to would-be-jugglers. The program was funded by the Friends of the Millicent Library.

The Millicent Library hosted author/illustrator Judith Moffatt on March 31 as a kickoff to National Library Week. Ms. Moffatt offered a slide presentation and engaged children in the art of cut-paper illustration. This program was also funded by the Friends of the Millicent Library.

The summer reading program was well attended. Approximately 290 children registered for the reading portion of the program, an increase over summer 2000. The weekly special events included a one-man vaudeville show with Keith Michael Johnson as well as storyteller George Capaccio with his Middle Eastern program, *Arabesque*. Both of these pro-

grams were funded by grants from the local chapter of the Massachusetts Cultural Council. Other events included a visit from Daisy D. Dots the Clown and a magic show performed by Fairhaven native Jon Stetson. The Fairhaven Fire Department gave a special program on fire safety complete with the water truck to hose enthusiasts down. The summer reading program concluded with our 17th annual Teddy Bear Parade.

During National Children's Book Week in November, the library hosted a Winnie-the-Pooh party to commemorate Pooh's 75th birthday as a literary figure. The party was well attended and included a visit from Winnie-the-Pooh. The Children's Department participated in the Very Victorian Holiday Weekend in December. Over 50 children made Victorian holiday cards as part of the festivities.

Archives

The Archives department was busier than ever this year, keeping our archivist Debra Charpentier and her volunteers working at full steam. Ernestine Locke continued indexing the Advocate and other local papers. Alice Rapp gathered information for a proposed cemetery research project, assisted by Janet Peters. Beth Trull continued to index the American Field Service records. Natalie Hemingway has nearly finished inputting the old Vital Records. Margaret Rogers, a new volunteer, has been copying the scrapbooks of news clippings. Axel Bernhart, a return volunteer, has been inputting marriage records.

This year's acquisitions included old photos donated by many generous patrons including a collection from the Abrams family. Many people also allowed us to scan their family and town photos for which we are extremely grateful. A sketch book containing pictures of Fort Phoenix in the 1890's and an interesting diary from an early 1900's summer resident were acquired, the latter the gift of Max Isaksen. We also bought items of local interest from antiques dealers and online vendors.

Trustee Myra Lopes received a grant to create a local history class at the high school and several students worked with the primary source materials in our archives.

The archives staff also are preparing a project geared to middle school children that would involve research at the town cemeteries and the newspapers, vertical files, photo collections and vital records.

Ms. Charpentier also set up a display for Veterans Day and one about the descendants of William Bryant. She also oversaw a preservation survey of the archives and the rest of the library collections and facility funded by the library and a grant from the Massachusetts Board of Library Commissioners.

Donations

This year, as always, The Millicent Library has been the object of the generosity of friends and patrons. Arnold Aspden made a donation in memory of the time he spent at the library in his youth. Donations in memory of Mildred O. Tunstall and John J. Oliveira increased the memorial funds set up in their names. Other benefactors made donations in memory of lost loved ones. Some of the organizations that use our auditorium, such as the Fairhaven Mothers Club, Community Chaplains, the Shining Tides Quilters, and the Fairhaven/New Bedford – Tosashimizu Sister City Committee made contributions. Fairlawn Mortuary continued to keep us supplied with bookmarks and Daniel Mello Real Estate provided the envelopes for patron library cards.

The library was a collection point for Shepherds Food Pantry and the Red Cross.

We really appreciate the kind thoughts and generosity of all.

Grants

The library received grants from the cultural council for children's programs. The Friends of the Millicent Library funded programs and also bought circulating passes to museums. The preservation survey for which we received a grant and the building survey which the Town of Fairhaven received for the library were both performed this year. The town and library also applied for a grant for the work to be done, but with the state budget condition at the end of this year there is some doubt as to our receiving the funding now.

Computers

The SAILS network to which we belong now includes 55 libraries – public, school, and academic. In 2001 they changed what some of us still call the “card catalog” software to something called “iBistro” which looks and feels like the popular bookstore websites. Patrons who access the system from home may find this look similar to their other online experiences.

The Millicent Library also received an upgrade from our 56k connection to a T1 line which speeded up the time needed to look up and reserve books.

The library's website continued to provide information about the library and its services as well as information on the town of Fairhaven. The visitor's page has pictures of people coming to the library from out of town and provides them with a souvenir. We also put on links to sites of interest and stories about historical items we have obtained. Veterans' Agent Jim Cochran also produced an ongoing inventory of Fairhaven monuments which we have translated into series of web pages on our site. We try to keep up on linking to other Fairhaven groups and business websites. The Internet has provided a very convenient way to keep everyone updated immediately.

Statistics and Visitors

During FY01, the Library circulated 129,855 items –an increase over last year. Our holdings include 44,054 books, 496 volumes of magazines, 3,917 CD's and audiocassettes, 2,094 videos. We subscribe to 166 periodical titles. As of July 1, 2001 there were 9,148 borrowers registered to the Millicent Library. We have two terminals dedicated to public access to the Internet that were booked up pretty solidly every day. Through the network, region, and our own budget, the library provides access to many databases both in-library and from home. You can find the list by visiting the library's home page at www.tiac.net/users/millie. The Library's website recorded 14,000 hits during FY01.

We had visitors from 37 states sign our guest book this year, many of them on Homecoming Weekend when people come in for class reunions. We also had guests from Bahamas, Canada, China, England, France, Germany, Ireland, Japan, Kenya, New Zealand, Norway, Poland, Spain, and Zimbabwe. Many of these visitors have arrived on boats and come in to check their e-mail and many were visiting relatives in town and wanted to keep in touch with those at home.

Groups from Mystic Seaport and the Victorian Society came in for tours as they have done for several years. We also had visits from Massport looking at Manjiro items and a group of Canadian tour operators who found us on the Internet and tacked on Fairhaven with their tour of New Bedford.

The Library auditorium hosted meetings of the Sister City Committee, Fairhaven Mothers Club, the College Club, Shining Tides Quilters, Food Addicts Anonymous, Southcoast Learning, Brownies, Community Care Services, Community Chaplains, as well as several other groups.

Programs and Exhibits

The Library held its 4th annual "marathon" reading of Dickens' *A Christmas Carol* as part of Victorian weekend. The Millicent Library Book Discussion Group organized and led by Mary Jane Richard continued to meet every month. Besides reading and sharing ideas on particular books, there were 2 local author programs open to all. Lynn Donohue author of *Brick by Brick* and Daniel Robb who wrote *Crossing the Water* about his work on Penikese both spoke about their interesting careers in the area. The library also helped organize a talk by the police and sheriff's offices on increasing personal safety.

Summary

As always, the Millicent Library will continue to keep up with advances as well as find ways to maintain the treasures of the past. We are fortunate to be housed in a magnificent building which is more than just a public library. Former Librarian Rita Steele used to call the library an athenaeum which connotes a place for learning materials of all kinds, not just books.

**The Millicent Library
Staff
As of December, 2001**

Carolyn Longworth, Director
Juanita Walker, Assistant Director/Reference
Lisa Howard, Youth Services Librarian
Debbie Charpentier, Archivist & Facility Manager
Mary Jane Richard, Library Associate (Fiction/AV Collection)
Doreen Skidmore Library Technician (Circulation)
Robert Gonsalves, Library Technician (Circulation)
Lily Lovinger, Page
Paola Mabasa, Page
Laurie Powers, Bookkeeper
Stephen Foster, Custodian

**The Millicent Library
Board of Trustees as of December, 2001**

Jean Campbell, President
Dennis Duval, Vice-President
Christopher Bunnell, Treasurer
Robert Kenworthy, Assistant Treasurer
Carolyn Longworth, Secretary
Bruce Bendiksen
Kathleen Clement
J. Richard Early
Gail Isaksen
Susan Kennedy
Ernestine Locke
Curtis Lopes
Myra Lopes
Cheryl Moniz
Alice Rapp
Anita Carroll Rose
Joanna Weeks
Bryan Wood
Dr. Brian Bowcock, ex officio
Earl J. Dias, Honorary
Paul Peralta-Ramos, Honorary

DEPARTMENT OF FINE ARTS AND HISTORICAL ARCHIVES

The challenge has been great and much has been accomplished this year. As curator I am happy to report that the restoration of three major works of art in the town hall have been addressed.

These projects would never have been accomplished without the full support at Town Meeting. Also, I wish to thank the local Cultural Arts Council for their support to restore a bit of Fairhaven memorabilia.

First, the complete restoration of the 1929 portrait of Selectman John I. Bryant by the artist Elizabeth T. Delano. It was originally presented to the town in his honor, including a bronze plaque. Both are now on display in the main lobby of the Town Hall.

Second project was the painting of the "Rebuilding The Dream," by David W. Johnston. Due to improper framing, preservation was of utmost importance. The work consisted of reframing, placing U.V. protective glass and archival mounting. This procedure will preserve a historical gift by the artist to Fairhaven for generations. The painting was presented to the town at the closing ceremony of the Captain Joshua Slocum Centennial celebration June 1998.

The third restoration was an original 1855 Fairhaven town map found in the attic of the town hall. The Cultural Arts Council made it possible to save this map after having it restored and framed it is now on display.

I want to report that a well-established index file is available in the Town Clerks office, listing the paintings and etchings that have been restored to date. There is more work to be accomplished and I look forward to the challenge.

Respectfully Yours,

Albert F. Benac
Town Art Curator

PLANNING BOARD AND DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

The Planning Board and the Department of Planning and Economic Development have seen several changes in 2001. In April of 2001 a new Planning Board member, Gary Stafon, was elected, and in May of 2001 William D. Roth, Jr. was hired as the new Director of Planning and Economic Development. With all of these changes, the Planning Board and the Department of Planning and Economic Development enjoyed another very successful year in 2001.

During 2001 the Planning Board and the Department of Planning and Economic Development have worked to refine many portions of the Fairhaven Zoning Bylaw. We are working on zoning changes to bring to the May 2002 Town Meeting that will improve the aesthetic quality of future development in Town and clarify what requires a Special Permit. Included among these changes will be a recommendation to reduce the required parking for commercial and industrial developments, increase the minimum landscape planter island size within parking lots, and require parking lot setback between business zones. These changes will allow for more landscaped area within developments. In addition, we will recommend that what triggers a Special Permit be clarified.

In November 2000 the state courts ruled that communities cannot prohibit tattoo or body piercing facilities in the concept that body art reflects an individual's free-speech right. In response to this, the Planning Board proposed a Zoning Bylaw amendment to address tattoo or body piercing facilities, which was passed at the May 2001 Town Meeting.

Raymond Fleurent and Al Borges were once again appointed by the Planning Board and Selectmen respectively to serve as the Town's Commissioners on the Southeastern Regional Planning and Economic Development District, the regional planning district. Bill Roth was appointed to represent the Town on the Joint Transportation Planning Group, an advisory committee to the regional planning agency on transportation issues.

The Department of Planning and Economic Development has continued to assist the Planning Board in preparing the Town for the future by developing all the zoning changes brought to Town Meeting as well as reviewing development projects. The Department of Planning and Economic Development has also applied for the following grant opportunities.

Massachusetts Historical Commission Survey and Planning Grant (\$15,000):
- Funding from this grant will allow the Town to hire a consultant to research and prepare the application to designate "Poverty Point" as a National Register

Historic District. Having a National Register Historic District will allow residents within the district to take advantage of Federal tax credits for their house restorations.

- Urban Self-Help Grant (\$250,000): - Funding from this grant will help the Town in acquiring Hoppy's Landing for public recreation and open space.
- Seaport Advisory Council (\$80,000) - Funding from this grant will help the town in acquiring Hoppy's Landing so as to continue to allow commercial fishing from the site.
- The Planning Board and the Department of Planning and Economic Development once again thank Town Meeting Members for their continued support for our attempts to make the Town Zoning Bylaws more responsive to the needs of the Town. We look forward to 2002.

The Planning Board and Department of Planning and Economic Development look forward to 2002.

Respectfully submitted,

Raymond Fleurent, Chairman

Al Borges, Vice-Chairman

Channing Hayward, Secretary

Marinus Vanderpol

Wayne Hayward

Mark Rasmussen

Jeffery Lucas

Gary Staffon

William D. Roth, Jr., Director of Planning
and Economic Development

Lisa Moniz, Secretary to the Planning
Director

Kim Nogueira, Secretary

FIRE DEPARTMENT

In 2001, the Fairhaven Fire Department had a busy year.

Chief Francis and Deputy Chief Fletcher, working with the firefighters, have made many positive administrative changes which have made this department run much more efficiently. With the September 11 tragedy, we now have to look to adding more responsibilities like bio-terrorism training. Firefighters are now being trained to deal with Anthrax calls along with future training for acts like bombings and communicable diseases such as Ebola, Smallpox and many others.

September 11 has changed the outlook of every Fire Department across the country, and Fairhaven is no exception. I would like to take this time to thank all the Firefighters, Police Officers and Emergency medical personnel, along with their families, who gave their lives to try and save many lives. Our prayers are with you. Even in this small town, your Firefighters would have responded the same way.

The Town has turned the Emergency Medical Service over to the Fire Department. Chief Francis is now responsible for all aspects of the service, and he has appointed Firefighter/Paramedic Brian Messier as the new EMS Coordinator. The Fire department has been running as a full Paramedic service since the second week of July 2001 and things are going along very well. Going from basic life support to advanced life support has greatly increased patient care.

Another year has gone by and the Town will again be hosting the Firefighter I/II class for new Call Firefighter training. We have lost more Call Firefighters again this year. Call Firefighter/Paramedic Tammy Pimentel has left us for a full time job with the Sandwich Fire Department, and Call Firefighter James Bettencourt has left to join the Fairhaven Police Department as one of their new Police Officers. Prior to them leaving, we lost two other Call Firefighters to other City/Towns. One to the City of New Bedford and one to the Town of Hyannis. It is proving to be a challenge keeping new and existing Call Firefighters. There is extensive training that is required and now each Call Firefighter has to be involved in a wellness program which includes being tested every two years, along with the Career Firefighters. After the Town spends the time and money to train them, they look very good to other Cities and Towns, and leave for better permanent jobs in those Cities and Towns. It is still difficult getting Call Firefighters who are available for calls during the day. We only have one or two available during the day at this time and we are also finding that our night time calls are not always getting the number of Call Firefighters needed to respond either.

This is the third year the Fairhaven FireBoat has been in service. It has responded to 20 rescue calls on the water, along with patrolling many water events such as the Swim Across the Bay, the Blessing of the Fleet and many others. The FireBoat also responded to a major boat fire in the City of New Bedford where we used our deck gun to help extinguish the fire. We also had to tow the New Bedford FireBoat out of danger at that fire.

The Apparatus Study Committee is going to Special Town Meeting on February 6, 2002 for a new pumper to replace Engine 3, which is now 32 years old, this pumper has serviced the Town very well for the past 32 years.

Phase I of the Fire Department renovation has been completed and is working out great. I invite everyone to stop by and check it out. The new kitchen area as well as the new control room has allowed our operation to run much smoother. The exhaust system on the apparatus floor is also working out very well also. At this point, I would like to take the time to thank the Building Committee members; John Rogers – Chairman, Curtis Lopes, Frank Rezendes, David Hughes and retired Chief David Crowley. I would also like to thank the Board of Selectmen; Win Eckenreiter, Brian Bowcock and Michael Silvia for their support. But special thanks goes to Jeffrey Osuch for all his help on this project, we could not have done it without him. Bufftree Building Co., a local company, did a great job for the Town and was also a pleasure to work with. We hope that sometime in the near future we will start on Phase II of the project, which is more apparatus space and work area. The Town must look at its financial picture before this can be undertaken.

The Fire Act Grant will be coming up again in March, and we will be applying for Phase II of the building and new Firefighter gear for all of our Firefighters. I am told there will be \$360 million dollars in grant money to be given out. Retired Lt. Earl Faunce has already started working on the new application.

The Fairhaven Fire Department now has to operate as a modern Public Safety Force with Paramedics Emergency Medical Technicians Technical Trench Rescue Specialists, Confined Space Technicians, Fire Prevention as well as Junior Fire Setter Programs. Now with terrorism present, we have to train additionally in Haz-Mat because of the threat of bio-terrorism acts, so we may be ready in the chance it affects our Town, to protect all of our Town's citizens.

This is a list of the Fairhaven Fire Department's activities in 2001. You can see that our calls for service have increased from last year, and have gone up every year. Additionally, you will notice that because of the increase in calls to the Fire Service, the State Fire Marshal has increased the number of situation descriptions that we have.

I, as Chief of the Fairhaven Fire Department would like to thank Town Meeting for their support and help over the past years which has helped us service you better.

Situation Description	Totals
Fire, other	17
Building Fire	21
Fires in structures other than in a building	2
Cooking fire, confined to container	5
Chimney or flue fire, confined to chimney or flue	2
Fuel burner/boiler malfunction, fire confined	11
Passenger vehicle fire	18

Situation Description	Totals
Water vehicle fire	3
Off-road vehicle or heavy equipment fire	1
Natural vegetation fire, other	4
Mulch fire	8
Grass fire	2
Outside rubbish fire, other	3
Outside rubbish, trash or waste fire	5
Dumpster or other outside trash receptacle fire	3
Special outside fire, other	3
Outside equipment fire	2
Overpressure rupture, explosion, overheat other	2
Overpressure rupture from steam, other	1
Explosion (no fire), other	2
Excessive heat, scorch burns with no ignition	2
Rescue, emergency medical call (EMS) call, other	11
Medical assist, assist EMS crew	24
EMS call, excluding vehicle accident with injury	1,233
Vehicle accident with injuries	159
Motor vehicle pedestrian accident (MV Ped)	12
Lock-in	4
Search for person on land	3
Search for person in water	1
Extrication, rescue, other	2
Extrication of victim(s) from building/structure	1
Extrication of victim(s) from vehicle	6
Extrication of victim(s) from machinery	1
Water & Ice related rescue, other	2
Ice rescue	1
Watercraft rescue	18
Rescue or EMS standby	10
Hazardous conditions/MVA	52
Flammable gas or liquid condition, other	5
Gasoline or other flammable liquid spill	34
Gas leak (natural gas or LPG)	18
Oil or other combustible liquid spill	29
Chemical hazard (no spill or leak)	1
Chemical spill or leak	5
Refrigeration leak	1
Carbon monoxide incident	8
Electrical wiring/equipment problem, other	2
Heat from short circuit (wiring), defective/worn	5
Overheated motor	2
Light ballast breakdown	1

Situation Description	Totals
Power line down	1
Arcing, shorted electrical equipment	9
Accident, potential accident, other	6
Vehicle accident, general cleanup	38
Service Call, other	9
Person in distress, other	7
Lock out	14
Water problem, other	46
Water evacuation	57
Water or steam leak	6
Smoke or odor removal	16
Animal problem	2
Animal rescue	2
Public service assistance, other	8
Assist police or other governmental agency	13
Police matter	1
Public service	17
Assist invalid	5
Unauthorized burning	50
Cover assignment, standby, moveup	12
Good intent call, other	57
Dispatched & canceled en route	9
Authorized controlled burning	12
Prescribed fire	2
Vicinity alarm (incident in other location)	1
Steam, other gas mistaken for smoke, other	6
Smoke scare, odor of smoke	8
Steam, vapor, fog or dust thought to be smoke	3
Hazmat release investigation w/no hazmat	11
False alarm or false call, other	14
Municipal alarm system, malicious false alarm	7
Direct tie to FD, malicious/false alarm	1
Telephone, malicious false alarm	1
Bomb scare – no bomb	1
System malfunction, other	16
Sprinkler activation due to malfunction	1
Smoke detector activation due to malfunction	36
Heat detector activation due to malfunction	3
Alarm system sounded due to malfunction	27
CO detector activation due to malfunction	1
Unintentional transmission of alarm, other	11
Smoke detector activation, no fire – unintentional	36
Detector activation, no fire – unintentional	24

Situation Description	Totals
Alarm system sounded, no fire – unintentional	19
Carbon monoxide detector activation, no CO	7
Severe weather or natural disaster, other	1
Flood assessment	32
Special type of incident, other	12
Citizen complaint	4
TOTAL	2,450

The Fairhaven Fire Department also provided many non-emergency additional services as listed:

Plug out boxes and return on-line	200
Smoke detector inspections	221
Smoke detector installations	2
School building inspections	14
Quarterly school drills	28
Nursing home inspections	16
Public building inspections	207
Hurricane dike inspection	1
Oil burner inspections	35
L.P. gas tank inspections	26
Underground tank removal/installations	11
Blasting inspections	0
Tank truck inspections	0
Bonfire inspections	28
Total service runs for 2001	786

In-service training	576 hours
Paramedic training	8,000 hours

Fire Department Fees/Donations Collected

Type of Fee	Fee Amt.	Issued	Total Amount
Ammunition Storage License	\$ 10.00	1	\$10.00
Annual Master Box Fee	\$175.00	69	\$12,075.00
Ansul System	\$ 10.00	6	\$60.00
Blasting Permits	\$ 10.00	0	\$ 0.00
Bonfire Permits	\$ 10.00	28	\$280.00
Copy of Fire Report	\$ 5.00	21	\$105.00
Copy of Fire Report	\$ 3.00	0	\$ 0.00
Copy of Records (21J)	\$ 5.00	2	\$10.00
Copy of SARF (EMS) Report	\$10.00	1	\$10.00
Flammable Liquids, Solids & Gasses	\$10.00	4	\$40.00

Type of Fee	Fee Amt.	Issued	Total Amount
Fuel Oil Storage	\$10.00	1	\$10.00
Initial Master Box Connection	\$125.00	0	\$ 0.00
Inn/Hotel Inspections	\$25.00	22	\$550.00
Install/Alter Oil Burner Equipment	\$10.00	35	\$350.00
Install/Removal Underground Tanks	\$25.00	11	\$275.00
Lodging/Rooming House Inspections	\$25.00	0	\$ 0.00
LP Gas Storage Permit	\$10.00	26	\$260.00
Re-Issue Permits	\$10.00	0	\$ 0.00
Review Plans/Prints/Specs	\$25.00	21	\$525.00
Smoke Detector Inspections	\$10.00	217	\$2,170.00
Smokeless/Black Powder Permit	\$10.00	0	\$ 0.00
Sprinkler Permit	\$10.00	5	\$50.00
Strobe Installation Permit	\$10.00	1	\$10.00
Subpoena of records	\$7.00	1	\$7.00
Supervised Fireworks Permit	\$10.00	20	\$20.00
Tank Truck Inspection	\$10.00	0	\$ 0.00
Tar Kettles	\$10.00	0	\$ 0.00
Welding/Cutting Storage Permit	\$10.00	12	\$120.00
Witness Fee	\$10.00	0	\$ 0.00
Sold Equipment			\$2,700.00
Gift Donation			\$2,700.00
Ambulance Gift Donation			\$240.00
GRAND TOTAL			\$22,580.00

I would like to thank all Boards and Departments for their cooperation and assistance, and to all Town Meeting Members for their continued support of your Fire Department.

Respectfully Submitted,

Timothy P. Francis – Chief of Department
Donn M. Fletcher – Deputy Chief
Kristine Fitzsimmons – Principal Clerk

FIRE ALARM DEPARTMENT

The Fire Alarm Department experienced a very quiet year in 2001. Routine maintenance of the network is on target and working well.

As the growth of the town continues, we can expect a further expansion of the town's fire alarm network. Since the time of our last report to you, we have added 6 new master boxes to our townwide system.

- 5 North East Maritime Academy
- 2914 Walnut Grove Day Care
- 3214 Senior Center
- 3215 Recreation Center
- 3412 7-Eleven
- 3614 Burger King

Also note that the Fire Alarm annual fee is working well for the town and almost generating revues equal to the Fire Alarm budget. It should also be noted that our part time ground man needs to be working a full year instead of half the year. The groundsman is necessary for several reasons:

- It is not safe for the linesman to be working alone.
- The groundsman does not get adequate time to learn the fire alarm system by working once per week for twenty weeks. When the linesman is on vacation, the groundsman must be able to handle all emergencies involving the town's fire alarm system. He cannot do this if he is not trained.

As noted in many past town reports to you, the Fire Alarm truck is tired and worn out and should be replaced soon.

In addition, the Fire Alarm Division was happy to assist various groups and organizations in the town, by way of assistance in lighting, placement of decorations, flag pole details, etc.

In closing, Chief Tim Francis and I would like to thank all other departments who have cooperated throughout the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

Lt. Robert Lincoln
Assistant Sup. of Fire Alarm
Tim Francis
Chief of the Fire Department

FAIRHAVEN BOARD OF HEALTH

To date, the Board of Health has lent over \$350,000 to residents to repair their septic systems or tie into sewer. Food establishments under the Federal and State Food Codes are now required to have a full-time licensed Certified Food Manager on staff to address food quality, employee health and foodborne disease occurrences. The education required to attain certification has greatly assisted the food inspection services of the Board because we are now all speaking the same language and pursuing the same goals of good and safe food quality. New beach testing procedures were followed this past summer insuring safe swimming waters. We are beginning to learn to live with West Nile Virus and how to protect our community through education and proactive use of a larvicide. Looking toward the new year, the Board is most hopeful for the passing by Town Meeting for the Article to sewer Sconticut Neck Road and the surrounding areas.

There were seventeen Housing Code Inspections with over thirty reinspections required. Seven of these were filed in Housing Court to enforce compliance. Additional code violations were also brought before the Housing Court. There were two lead paint determinations made by the Health Agent. There were twenty-six percolation tests performed. There were twenty-three septic system inspection reports submitted for review. The laboratory performed over five hundred analyses for total coliform and E.coli.

The Board of Health sponsored many clinics – flu, pneumococcal, blood pressure and rabies. All were well attended. Clinics were also held for childhood immunization for school children.

The Board of Health thanks everybody for the opportunity to serve them.

The following permits were issued in the year 2000:

Food Establishments	134	Funeral Directors	6
Percolation Tests	26	Marinas	7
Demolition/rodent control	12	Septic system inspections	23
Milk and Cream	132	Removal of Offal	9
Frozen Dessert	10	Animal Permits	22
Catering	3	Bakery	3
Mobile Food	4	Private Disposal Systems	19
Tobacco sale	34	Massage Licenses	11
Residential swimming pools	57	Public swimming pools	1
Motels/Inn	3	Disposal System Installer	12
Burial permits	164	Suntanning Salon	1
Wells	0		

Board of Health Receipts for 2001:	\$22,890.25
SEMASS receipts:	\$517,000.00

Respectfully submitted,

David Szeliga, Chairman

Dolores Caton

Dr. John A. Badwey

Patricia B. Fowle, RS CHO, Health Agent

Teresa M. Darwin, Administrative Assistant

Margaret M. Colt, Food Inspector

CONSERVATION COMMISSION

This year the Conservation Commission has undergone the small change of a new chairperson. The commission is making a concerted effort to be more responsive to and understanding of the applicants who appear before the board. The Commission is working vigorously to uphold the state and town wetlands bylaws and regulations. New D.E.P. forms are being used by the Commission. This helps to streamline the process for the applicant and the Commission. Finally money for the Little Bay bike path extension has been allocated. Special kudos to Al Borges in that regard. In the coming year your Commission will continue to look for better ways to assist the town residents in complying with all the wetlands regulations. The goal of every member of the Commission is to protect the natural resources of the Town of Fairhaven.

Respectfully submitted,

Joseph Taylor, Chairman
Marinus Vander Pol Jr., Co-Chairman
Gregory Bettencourt
Victor Oliveira
Albert Borges
James Leal
Tom Perry, Clerk
Gregory Bettencourt Jr., Associate
Jane Bettencourt, Secretary
Wayne Fostin, Conservation Agent

BRISTOL COUNTY MOSQUITO CONTROL PROJECT

On June 30, 2001 the Bristol County Mosquito Control Project completed forty-two years of service to the cities and towns of Bristol County.

The mosquito control project works year-round in its efforts to reduce mosquito breeding sites and adult mosquito populations. The Project uses several different measures of control in its never-ending fight against mosquitos.

Spring and Summer Larviciding – To reduce the emergence of adult mosquitos in areas where mosquito larvae is present.

Catch Basin Treatment – To stop mosquito emergence from rain-filled catch basins and storm drains.

Light Trapping Program – To monitor mosquito populations as to their type and number – a program necessary in encephalitis surveillance. Light trapping of mosquitos is also useful to determine what areas have high mosquito populations and should be sprayed.

Water Management – A year round endeavor to clean and construct mosquito drainage ditches in lowland swamps to reduce their favorability as breeding sites for mosquito larvae.

It is the policy of the Bristol County Mosquito Control Project to use pesticides that are environmentally safe so that the safety of the people and environment are not jeopardized. We use many of the biological insecticides as are practical with the environmental conditions present in the New England area. We are presently using three different formulations of B.T.I in our Larviciding program.

All of our spray equipment is calibrated periodically in order to insure that dosage rates remain at safe levels but are adequate to reduce mosquito populations. The operators of our spray equipment are state certified pesticide applicators that are required to attend classes on pesticide safety on a yearly basis.

The Spring 2001 mosquito season was normal though a little late getting started due to the cold spring weather. This situation changed quickly however. By the end of May mosquito populations were large enough to warrant ULV fogging but due to the cool morning temperatures we were unable to begin our spray program before the first week of June.

As the mosquito season progressed, so did the public concern over West Nile Virus. This was evident by the increase in calls for service. When the first birds tested positive for the West Nile Virus, we began receiving more service calls than could be handled per day. This situation put us behind schedule for a short period of time. Once the morning temperatures became warmer and more stable, we were able to get ahead of the backlog of calls.

During late summer the number of birds dying of West Nile Virus increased drastically and it was not confined to one area. It was happening all over southeastern MA. The Bristol County Mosquito Control Project ran an extensive trapping program in areas where birds had tested positive for West Nile Virus in an effort to determine mosquito species and their number. Three of our employees steadily worked this surveillance program until October 22, 2001. It is very labor intensive to run both light and gravid traps at the same time but it is the only way to find if and what the correlation is between mosquitos, birds and the West Nile Virus. These surveillance programs monitored both Eastern and West Nile Virus. We found some mosquitos with Eastern and some mosquitos with West Nile in areas of Bristol County

There were no cases of Eastern Virus reported in either humans or horses in Bristol County; however, two humans and five horses did contract West Nile Virus late in the mosquito season. Both the humans and the horses that were infected recovered according to the reports that the Bristol County Mosquito Control Project received.

The Project sprayed all known mosquito-infested areas and answered all requests for spraying, for a total of 4,174.2 sprayed acres.

During the spring and summer months 3.25 acres of breeding wetlands were larviced.

During the fall and winter months a total of 5,100 feet of brush was cut. A total of 1,600 feet of drainage ditch was reclaimed. The crawler tractor dug 650 feet of ditch.

It is hard to make any predictions at this time as to what will happen next year concerning the West Nile Virus. Adulticiding may be difficult next season because of the aftereffects from the September 11, 2001 attacks. It's possible that when the people see trucks fogging in a residential area, some will be concerned that it is a terrorist applying a biological agent.

Thank you for your continued support,

Respectfully submitted,

Alan W. DeCastro
Superintendent

SEALER OF WEIGHTS & MEASURES

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| 1. | Do you keep a permanent record on file of all individual inspections and reweighing | NO |
| | Inspections and Tests; state number of each | |
| 2. | Peddler's Licenses | NONE |
| 3. | Transient Vendors | NONE |
| 4. | Fuel Oil Delivery Certificates | 6 |
| 5. | Marking of- | |
| | Bread | 30 |
| | Food Packages | 58 |
| | Coal, -Coke and Charcoal in paper bags | 15 |
| 6. | Clinical Thermometers | NONE |
| 7. | Scales | 15 |
| 8. | Other Inspections | - |
| 9. | Measure Containers | - |
| 10. | Retest of gasoline devices after sealing | 7 |
| 11. | Number of retail outlets required to: | |
| | Have scanning system tested | 30 |
| | Post Unit Pricing | 22 |
| | Post Consumer Notice | 30 |
| 12. | Number of Scanning Inspections | -0- |
| 13. | Number of Unit Pricing Inspections | -0- |
| 14. | Number of Unit Pricing prosecutions and hearings | -0- |
| 15. | Miscellaneous Inspections and Tests | 9 |
| 16. | Reweighing and re-measurements made for municipality
(specify commodity and quantity) | |

SCHOOL SCALES, BOARD OF HEALTH SCALE

To the Director of Standards,

The foregoing comprises my annual report for the period ending December 31, 2000, and is herewith submitted as required by law.

Signed

Sealer of Weights and Measures

RECREATION DEPARTMENT

On December 22, 2001 the long awaited and much needed new Community Center finally opened. The Community Center houses the new Council on Aging and the Recreation Center. The Recreation Center is 12,500 square feet and consists of a state of the art gymnasium with six backboards, 2 batting cages and 2 volleyball courts. In addition to the gym the center contains a Wellness Room, home to 13 pieces of Nautilus equipment and 6 cardio vascular machines. The Recreation Center also has a Multi Purpose Room which can be used for many activities.

The Recreation Center provides a facility to the Fairhaven residents to engage in recreational, social, educational, cultural and community activities. We provide opportunities for all ages to participate in a wide range of programs. The Recreation Department started its first session by offering Karate, Preschool playgroup, Open gym basketball, Aerobics, Volleyball, Adult basketball and Arts and Crafts classes. The Recreation Department continually adds more to meet the growing needs of the community.

A very sincere thank you to ALL of the Town Officials, Committees, Organizations and Community members involved in making this Recreation Center a reality for the Town of Fairhaven. In addition, special thanks to the Recreation Commission; Alfred Dellcese, John Haaland Jr., Antone "Hawk" Medeiros, Richard Pires, Gary Ashworth, Armand Santos and Frank Motta, III and Recreation Director Dana Almeida for their continuous efforts and dedication for many, many years. They have spent countless hours promoting Recreation and its benefits to the Fairhaven Community by planning, organizing and often times coaching for various recreation leagues. Your efforts are greatly appreciated.

The Recreation Center looks forward to serving the community and its recreational needs in the years ahead.

Respectfully Submitted,

Winfred Eckenreiter, Co-Chairman
Bryan Wood, Co-Chairman
James Pelland, Secretary
Dana Almeida
John Haaland, Jr.
Michael Lemaire
Douglas MacLean
Joanne Manley
Antone "Hawk" Medeiros
Frank Motta, III
Charles Murphy
Victor Oliveira
Thomas Perry
Frank Rezendes
Ann Richard
Carol Santos

ANIMAL CONTROL

Complaints and Calls Taken:	2,124	
Dogs and Cats Adopted:	40	
Dogs and Cats Returned to Homes:	88	
Dogs and Cats Euthanized:	5	
Dogs and Cats Transferred to Other Rescue Organizations:	15	
Animals Tested for Rabies	5	(0-positive)
Bites/Animals Quarantined:	53	
Dogs Licensed:	1,985	
Cash to Town Clerk		
Board:	\$192.00	
Adoptions:	\$200.00	
Spay/Neuter Deposits:	\$725.00	
Citations:	\$3,050.00	

The Animal Control Department would like to thank the Police Department and the Board of Health for all their help this year. I would also like to thank Antoinette Graham for all her help in placing many homeless cats and kittens, and to the other Rescue Organizations who have assisted in the placement of many homeless dogs. Thank you to Animal Advocates for donating their services to spay/neuter and vaccinate several of the shelter dogs prior to their adoption. A very special thanks to Dolores Caton and all those who have made generous donations to the shelter including contributions of food, blankets, newspapers and more. Your help is greatly appreciated.

Many changes have occurred in the year 2001. Most importantly, the construction of a new Animal Shelter is in progress. This is a much needed project, and hopefully by July 2002 it will be completed. The Animal Control Department was also granted permission from the Board of Selectmen to begin a volunteer program. By the end of January 2002, the Animal Shelter will be operating with the help of volunteers.

I would like to thank the Veterinarians and staff at New England Animal Hospital for all their help throughout the year. Often they are called to care for an injured or sick animal and their professionalism and dedication should not go unnoticed.

Respectfully Submitted,

Christy L. Dias
Animal Control Officer
Animal Inspector

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

As of January 1, 2002 total residents in Fairhaven is 16,100 and the total registered voters is 10,374. Births, marriages and deaths in the year 2001 were:

Birth:	117
Marriage:	90
Deaths:	281

Our Annual Town Election was held in April. We had our Annual Town Meeting and a Special Town Meeting in May.

Cash turned over to the Treasurer was \$41,029.22. The Town Clerk's Office issued 1,995 dog licenses for a total of \$8,464.75. This office also collected \$8,930.00 in parking fines. The Town Clerk's Office also issues fish and game licenses.

The administration of elections is another function of the Town Clerk's Office. It involves the preparation and printing of the ballots, the supervision of election officials, the reporting of returns and the certification of the officials elected.

The services of a Notary are available in the Town Clerk's Office at no charge.

At this time I would like to thank my fellow workers, registrars, poll workers and machines custodians for their cooperation and support during the past year.

Eileen M. Lowney
Town Clerk/Registrar

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS

The Board of Public Works would like to extend its best wishes and heartfelt thanks to Mr. Alfred F. Raphael, who announced his retirement as Superintendent of Public Works, a position he has held since 1989. Mr. Raphael started working for the Town in 1963, taking a job as a Laborer in the Highway Dept. From there, he worked his way up the ladder, becoming a Sewer & Water Maintenance Craftsman, Supervisor and Chief Wastewater Treatment Plant Operator, and finally Assistant Superintendent of Public Works, before being named Superintendent of Public Works in 1989.

Mr. Raphael acquired a deep and broad knowledge of every aspect of public works and was uniquely resourceful in problem solving and getting the most use possible out of every dollar spent. Fred worked tirelessly advocating for better streets, enjoyable parks, clean reliable drinking water, and state of the art wastewater pollution control facilities. He dedicated a significant part of his lifetime to improving and protecting the quality of life we enjoy in Fairhaven. We owe him our gratitude and deepest respect. Fred was well liked by all the employees, and he will be missed.

Also, Mr. George Bragga, who served as the Head Clerk for the Board of Public Works Administration Division since 1979, announced his intention to retire. Mr. Bragga was a valuable clerk who was very helpful to residents, regulators, contractors, and others who had questions or requests for information from public works.

We thank both of these individuals for their service to the Town and wish them good health and happiness in their future endeavors.

The Board of Public Works hired Mr. Robert J. Carey as the new Superintendent of Public Works. Mr. Carey is a Registered Professional Engineer with over 20 years of public works experience. He was raised in Fairhaven, and lives here with his wife and two children. Mr. Carey is committed to ensuring that our public works resources are being used as effectively and efficiently as possible, and that our infrastructure system is maintained in good condition.

Design work is underway on a wide range of projects, including the Sconticut Neck Area Sewer Extension Project, the Nancy Street Area Sewer Extension Project, Reconstruction of a portion of Green Street, Reconstruction of Howland Road, Livesey Park Rehabilitation Project, Little Bay Bike Loop, and the West Island Drainage Master Plan. Most, if not all, of these projects will be ready to proceed to the construction phase within the 2002 calendar year, pending regulatory approvals and permits and funding.

An engineering study is underway to evaluate the present condition and capacity of the water supply and distribution system, and to identify deficiencies in water supply, treatment, storage and distribution. At the conclusion of the study, a Capital Improvement Plan report will be prepared with recommendations provided to ensure that the Town has an adequate supply of clean, reliable water for the foreseeable future.

The financial operations of the Water Department and the Sewer Department function as independent enterprise funds or accounts, meaning that the users of the services pay for the costs of the services. The present sewer rate is \$4.10 per hundred cubic feet (ccf) of water used. It was raised in the year 2001, from the old rate of \$3.65 per ccf. The present water rate is \$1.68 per ccf. The water rate has remained the same since 1990, when it was \$1.34 per ccf.

A new John Deere Grader was purchased using State Aid Chapter 90 funds. The 1980 Grader it replaced was traded in. The grader is a valuable piece of equipment that gets utilized twelve months a year. It is used for road reconstruction, thereby allowing us to do a great deal of road work in-house without the need to contract out the work. It is also used to smooth out gravel roads, which need frequent maintenance to keep them passable. Finally, it is the primary piece of snow plowing equipment in our fleet.

Solid waste collection is being provided by ABC Disposal Co., under contract with the Board of Public Works. The services include weekly curbside trash pickup, a special one day per year bulky item pickup, weekly leaf pickup during the month of November, and a special Christmas tree collection. In 2001, approximately 6,400 tons of curbside trash and 500 tons of bulky items were collected.

The natural tidal flow was restored to the Winsagansett Salt Marsh through the removal of the existing drainage culvert under Winsagansett Avenue, and replacement with two larger diameter pipes. The work was a joint effort of the Conservation Commission and the Board of Public Works, and funded by a combination of grants from the Mass. Dept. of Environmental Protection, Mass. Coastal Zone Management Agency, the Fish America Foundation, and Mass. Highway Dept./Ch 90 Program.

The Board of Public Works assisted with the construction of the new Animal Shelter, by performing all the site work associated with the construction of the new foundation and the underground utilities.

There was a large number of new developments that required engineering review and inspection. Site plans were reviewed in house and pre-construction meeting were held between all interested parties. The projects included: Waldron Woods, 7-Eleven, Brooks Pharmacy, Walgreen's and Pizzeria Uno's, and Stone Street sewer extension. On the larger projects, the developers were required to hire a full-time inspector to look out for the interests of the Town.

The Park Department maintains six parks, two cemeteries, the bike path, the Town Beach, Fort Phoenix, and twenty-five other Town owned sites. The Park Dept. also provides the lifeguards, gate attendants, and comfort station at the Town Beach during the summer. There is a great deal of work required to adequately maintain these sites. Resources from the Highway Dept. are used when needed and available to supplement the Park Department to keep these sites in good condition.

The Board of Public Works would like to thank all of the residents who have brought their concerns to our attention. We also want to recognize the cooperation and efforts of the employees of the Department to maintain and improve our public works facilities.

Respectfully Submitted,

Richard C. Brodeur, Chairman
Frank J. Rezendes, Vice-Chairman
John Roderiques, III, Clerk
Paul E. Francis, Commissioner
Ronald Manzone, Commissioner
and
Robert J. Carey, Superintendent

HIGHWAY DIVISION

During the year 2001, the Highway Department has been very busy reconstructing streets, laying drainage lines, cleaning drainage ditches, repairing manholes and catch basins, cold mix patching, grading dirt streets, repairing sidewalks, removing tree stumps, repairing and replacing street signs, grass and brush cutting, street sweeping, sanding and snow plowing, being the major parts of our work.

The following streets were resurfaced:

Holcomb Street – Bridge Street to Spring Street
Sunset Lane – Spring Street to Bryant Lane
Sciticut Neck Road – Chambers Street to Wamsutta Street
Boston Hill Road – Ridgcrest Avenue to the end (top course of asphalt)

The Street Reconstruction Program included the following streets

Top course only:

Ebony Street – Causeway Road northerly to end
Main Street – Church Street to Ferry Street
Church Street – Main Street to Fort Street
Cherry Street – Taber Street to Oxford Street

Base course only:

Veranda Avenue – Sycamore Street westerly to end
Newbury Avenue – Mozart Street westerly to end
Green Street – Huttleston Avenue to Massasoit Avenue
Laurel Street – Spring Street to Washington Street
Rodman Street – Green Street to Summer Street
Summer Street – Rodman Street to Washington Street
Academy Avenue – Larch Avenue to Elm Avenue
Farmfield Street – Fort Street to Green Street
Larch Avenue – Academy Avenue to Green Street
Cottage Street – Fort Street to Green Street

The above streets had work done to sidewalks, curbing and drainage as needed.

Potholes remain a problem and are patched as needed.

Crack sealing was also performed on various streets throughout the Town.

Street sign vandalism continues with over 140 signs being replaced or repaired.

During our snow removal and sanding operations we used 554 tons of sand and 132 tons of salt.

The Highway Department continues to operate the Recycle Center, Leaf and Brush Compost area.

Three long time employees recently retired from the Highway Department. I wish them well in their retirement plans.

Mr. Robert Parent – 33 years of service.

Mr. John Covington – 17 years of service.

Mr. Warren DeBarros – 17 years of service.

Also, this past year one of our long time employees, Kenneth Affonce passed away in May. Kenny had over 17 years of service with the Board of Public Works. He will be sadly missed.

I would like to thank the personnel of the Highway Department for their cooperation and a job well done.

Respectfully Submitted,

John M. Charbonneau
Superintendent

WATER DEPARTMENT

In 2001 we pumped 518,247,700 gallons of water from the wells at Wolf Island Road and Tinkham Lane. One thousand eighty five water meters were replaced and thirty-two new water services were added to the system. One galvanized house service and nine lead street services were removed and replaced with copper tubing. Three water main breaks and sixteen house service leaks were repaired by water department personnel. The entire distribution system was surveyed by a leak detection company resulting in the location and repair of seven leaks. The estimated loss of water for the leaks found in the survey was 33,120 gallons per day.

All Fire hydrants in Town were operated by the Fire Department and any mechanical problems reported were corrected. Four old hydrants in Town were replaced.

I would like to thank the Water Department Personnel and all Town departments for their cooperation and assistance.

Respectfully Submitted,

Edward L. Fortin
Water Superintendent

WATER POLLUTION CONTROL FACILITY

This year's performance of our 5 million gallon per day facility on Arsene Street was well within our permit limits, with BOD5 and TSS levels of 10.2 mg/l and 7.2 mg/l respectively (state and federal permit levels are 30 mg/l). We are still awaiting our new permit parameters, and are expecting a lower chlorine residual limit and the possible introduction of nitrogen limits. These additional constraints will require modifications to the existing facility. We have contracted with Fay, Spofford, and Thorndike, Inc., consulting engineers to assist us in the conversion from the use of liquid chlorine to ultraviolet light disinfection as well as investigating our options for improved odor control and nitrogen removal.

The West Island treatment facility now has 370 homes tied in and we are proud to report that we have consistently met our permit parameters. The facility received 5,999,645 gallons of wastewater in 2001. Our permit levels for BOD5 (30 MG/l), TSS (30 mg/l) and Total Nitrogen (10 mg/l) were met with the annual averages being BOD5 (6.0 mg/l), TSS (3.7 mg/l) and Total Nitrogen (4.9 mg/l).

Mattapoisett contributed 71,907,048 gallons of the total 895,340,000 gallons received at the plant this year and 814,400 gallons of septic waste from the towns of Fairhaven, Mattapoisett, Rochester, Acushnet, Freetown, and Marion were accepted. The collection system staff inspected a total of 77 new individual sewer installations, 2 of which were commercial.

The Town signed a three year contract with Synagro Northeast, Inc. for biosolids disposal, which became effective in August. The treatment process yielded 3,174,000 gallons of biosolids this year, which were hauled offsite in liquid form.

We look forward to the New Year as we continue to seek funds for sewers to the Sconticut Neck and Nancy Street areas, and invite all Townspeople to visit either of our facilities and meet the people who are committed to serving you to the best of their ability. We would also like to wish Bobby Everett Sr. a long and healthy retirement. He has served the Town for thirty-six years, most recently as foreman, and will be greatly missed by us all.

PARK DEPARTMENT

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The Park Department has been very busy this year with repairs and maintenance work done to our parks, beaches, recreation areas and Town memorials.

In our park areas the crew repaired all fencing and ballfield backstops. Park buildings have had roofs repaired as vandals continue to pull the shingles from them. The buildings have also been painted several times to cover up graffiti painted on them.

All the ballfields were weeded and graded to playable condition.

The West Island Toilet Trailer has continued to work well and will need minor repairs over the winter.

The Skateboard Park at Livesey Park continues to be very active by skateboard and roller bladers.

The Cushman Park project is complete and the Park Department installed swing sets, benches and a playground structure for toddlers.

I would like to thank the men of the Park Department for their cooperation and a job well done.

Respectfully submitted,

John M. Charbonneau
Superintendent

OFFICE OF TOURISM

The year began, as always, with the American History Costume Parade, held on July 4, including the firing of the cannons at Fort Phoenix. This parade is growing each year and is very well attended. Weekly tours were held on Thursdays (H.H. Rogers Tour) and Fridays (Fort Phoenix Minuteman Tour) in the summer, through September. Guides were also at Fort Phoenix on Thursday afternoons. About midway through the season, Charles Cromwell, a Fort Phoenix Guide, was given permission to demonstrate loading and firing a flintlock musket once per afternoon when he is at the fort. These demonstrations added interest to the program.

Several tours were conducted for special groups, including a National Guard unit, Norton Place, the College Club of Greater New Bedford, three bus tours from Mystic Seaport, Sippican Pomona, Whaling City Rowing Club After-School program, Wareham Middle School, New Bedford Adult Literacy Classes, Sandwich Public Schools, and a number of Fairhaven schools classes. Historical talks were presented at Alden Place and at the George H. Taber Lodge.

In August, a Volkssport Walk was held in Fairhaven, bringing more than 300 hundred people to town for the event.

The third Very Victorian Holiday was held in December, with close to twenty different events held throughout town, with nearly thirty non-profit and church groups participating.

In February, 2001, the Office of Tourism/Visitors Center moved from 27 Center Street to a larger location at 43 Center Street, ending a two-year quest for larger quarters. The move more than doubled our space, allowing for additional storage, display area and separate office space.

One piece of new equipment was purchased during the year, a photocopier.

Promotion of Fairhaven continued with paid advertising placed in the Americana Trail Guide, the Traveler newspaper, South Coast INSIDER, editions of the Standard-Times' Seaside and Summerfest issue, Getty's Koupons for Kids guide, Gateway to Cape Cod, several hotel guide books and other publications. In addition, press releases and photos about Fairhaven and special events were distributed to the press. Information about Fairhaven events was submitted for the web sites of the Bristol County Convention and Visitors Center, the City of New Bedford, the Massachusetts Office of Travel and Tourism. Events listings also appeared in guide books and Kanin Press' Weekender Calendar.

Brochures and guide books were also provided to Harbor Master Gary Golas, who represented Fairhaven at the Sea Trade Cruise Ship Convention in Florida.

Printing this year included 1,000 Winter Events Calendars, 3,000 Victorian Holiday Programs, 3,000 updated Visitors Guide Books, 2,500 Summer Events Calendars. Enough H.H. Rogers, Fort Phoenix and Manjiro brochures remained from the previous year.

In the spring of 2001, the Office of Tourism advertised a position for temporary, part-time Visitors Center help. The employee would allow the Visitors Center to be open one additional day per week in the summer and would be in the office an additional two afternoons a week, allowing the office to remain open when the director is giving tours and out of the office on other business. The new employee would begin working during next fiscal year.

Visitors signing the guest book at the Visitors Center represented 29 U.S. states as well as seven foreign countries.

Respectfully,

Christopher J. Richard,
Director of Tourism

REPORT TO THE TOWN OF FAIRHAVEN FROM THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE SOUTHEASTERN REGIONAL PLANNING AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT (SRPEDD)

The Town of Fairhaven is a member of the Southeastern Regional Planning and Economic Development District. SRPEDD (pronounced sir-ped) is the regional agency serving twenty-seven cities and Towns in southeastern Massachusetts dealing with common issues facing our region, such as economic development, growth and land development, transportation, environment and general planning for the future. SRPEDD is governed by a Commission of local mayors, selectmen, planning board members and at large members. We are funded by federal and state grants and local assessments. For 2001, the Town of Fairhaven paid \$2,605.80 to SRPEDD, based upon an assessment of 16.15 cents per capita.

During the past year, the Town of Fairhaven was represented on the SRPEDD Commission by Albert Borges and Ray Fleurent. The Joint Transportation Planning Group representatives were William Roth and Alfred Raphael. Ray Fleurent also served on the Executive Committee.

Some of SRPEDD's more significant accomplishments during 2001 were:

- Completion and approval of the Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) which sets regional priorities for federal transportation funds. The TIP established priorities for \$246 million in federal and state dollars for regional transportation projects over the next 3 years.
- Comprehensive Economic Development Strategy for Southeastern Massachusetts, a regional economic development strategy, was completed and certified by the U.S. Economic Development Administration, making the region eligible for federal economic development grants from EDA.
- The 100 Most Dangerous Intersections in Southeastern Massachusetts was compiled in 1999 by SRPEDD utilizing accident information for the period 1996 through 1998. All 100 intersections are evaluated and ranked according to level of danger, and the report is used to identify needed safety improvements at these intersections. During 2001 SRPEDD conducted 9 safety studies at intersections on the 1999 list. The list is being updated for the period 1999 through 2001 in the coming year.

- SRPEDD's web site contains data and information about every city and Town in the region, and can be reached at <http://www.srpedd.org>. The Fact Book Online was expanded this year to incorporate data from the 2000 U.S. Census.
- Southeastern Mass: Vision 2020, a 52-community initiative to fight sprawl in southeastern Massachusetts, completed its initial phase and reorganized to include more local and elected officials onto its board of directors. The New Mayflower Compact, a voluntary regional agreement to work together, has been endorsed by over 80% of the region's cities and Towns.
- An inventory of sensitive environmental areas impacted by roadway runoff was underway in the northern half of the SRPEDD region as part of its Geographic Roadway Runoff Inventory Program (GRRIP), funded by the Massachusetts Highway Department. Phase 1 of GRRIP for the Buzzards Bay region was completed last year.
- SRPEDD conducts a district-wide traffic counting program (including speed surveys and vehicle classification counts) and maintains a computer file of all available traffic count data throughout the region. SRPEDD undertook counts at 143 locations this past year.
- An extensive Geographic Information System (GIS) mapping program is maintained by SRPEDD. This year, new computerized "data layers" were added to the system, including subdivisions, wetlands and updated land use and open space layers for several communities.
- SRPEDD continues to provide planning and support to the two regional transit authorities, SRTA and GATRA, on various efforts including: access to jobs transportation programs for welfare clients transitioning into jobs, consumer advisory committees, route evaluations and new services planning, monitoring services and federal reporting.
- SRPEDD continued its affiliation with the South Eastern Economic Development (SEED) Corporation, which makes loans to small businesses for expansion. SEED is the #1 Small Business Administration lender in Massachusetts.
- SRPEDD operates the Southeastern Massachusetts Data Center, providing information to businesses, cities and Towns, and individuals.
- Drive-Through Facilities Review Standards were created to provide municipal permitting boards with useful and comprehensive information to enhance their ability to influence the design of business sites seeking drive-through customer service.

- Continued promotion of the proposed extension of commuter rail service to Taunton, Fall River and New Bedford.

In addition, municipal assistance was provided to Fairhaven in the following areas:

- SRPEDD performed two traffic counts for the Town.
- SRPEDD compiled computerized accident records for the Town.

SRPEDD was created to serve the cities and towns of southeastern Massachusetts. We are governed by elected and appointed officials from all the cities and towns. We look forward to serving you in the future.

EMPLOYEE LISTING

1/22/02

NAME	Y.T.D. GROSS
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Moderator's Salary

Foster, Robert W.	\$393.15
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Selectmen Dept. Salaries

Osuch, Jeffrey W.	83,833.43
St. Germain, Jan L.	40,290.35
Alves, Bernice A.	27,094.50
Pina, Loreen A.	24,813.85
Bowcock, Brian K.	3,365.58
Eckenreiter, Winfred A.	3,365.58
Silvia, Michael	3,365.58

Finance Comm. Salaries

Hebert, Susan B.	1,085.02
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Town Accountant Salaries

Carreiro, Anne M.	54,075.74
Sturgeon, Mary	11,058.07

Board of Assessors Salaries

Reedy, Jeanne C.	54,297.80
Bettencourt, Jane E.	37,031.56
Lamy, Sharon G.	22,756.30
Perry, Melody A.	22,730.40
Santos, Deborah L.	21,703.57
Chase, Carol B.	21,390.30
Garcia, Delfino R.	3,502.38
Matheson III, Paul A.	3,502.38

Treasurers Salaries

Martin, Andrew J.	70,657.16
Shepard, Joyce A.	37,077.64
Rose, Lisa M.	28,440.58

NAME	Y.T.D. GROSS
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Town Collector Salaries

Brandolini, Carol A.	45,712.24
Bettencourt, Pamela J.	27,904.84
Souza, Barbara E.	24,381.50
Forand, Cheryl A.	15,493.94
Leavitt, Kelly L.	6,172.20

Town Clerk Salaries

Lowney, Eileen M.	39,566.27
Smith, Linda J.	27,454.12

Elect & Regist Salaries

Rocha, Elaine L.	4,008.18
Marnik, Stella	318.78
Rapoza, Joseph F.	311.86
Marien, Armand R.	297.68
Rogers, Margaret W.	218.95
Markey, Norma L.	131.19
Cebula, Luke H.	123.74
Benac, Albert F.	94.59
Francis, Doris	94.59
Lewis, Patricia M.	94.59
Lizotte, Mary A.	94.59
Sibor, Dorothy C.	94.59
Hayward, Sally	86.68
Lopes, Eugenia	86.68
Medeiros, Claire	86.68
Nobrega, Dolores M.	86.68
Rapoza, Izaura	86.68
Vincent, Alfred	86.68
Brazil, Donald J.	78.95
Filipek, Mabel C.	78.95
Gallant, Mary P.	78.95
Gonsalves, Alexander	78.95
Hanson, Dolores M.	78.95
Horsley, Lillian R.	78.95
Lewis, Vivian M.	78.95
Rocha, Florence R.	78.95
Rocha, Robert	78.95
Ryle, Amy R.	78.95
Varao, Rita D.	78.95

NAME	Y.T.D. GROSS
Enforcement Agent	
Riccardi, David	10,894.78
Colt, Margaret M.	1,945.79
Bd of Appeals Salaries	
Pelland, James A.	601.44
Tourism Department	
Richard, Christopher J.	34,463.80
Gundersen, Hilmar H.	2,534.55
Town Hall Salaries	
Brown, William K.	32,890.56
Reynolds, Armand R.	7,687.90
Lizotte, Ernest C.	2,754.61
Planning and Economics	
Roth Jr., William D.	28,061.62
Moniz, Lisa L.	14,176.45
Fortier, Daniel J.	10,609.44
Police Dept. Salaries	
Sobral, David R.	84,948.51
Silva, Edward W.	81,662.47
Myers, Michael J.	78,452.21
Joseph, Donald A.	77,153.28
Claffin, Richard R.	74,714.43
Lacerda, Philip	69,148.55
Correia, David M.	67,306.69
Demello, Walter	63,043.50
Dompierre, Donald W.	59,576.66
Kershaw, Christopher J.	59,255.46
Bourgault, Pamela A.	58,649.67
Foster Jr., Stephen L.	57,629.14
Cudmore, Glenn A.	57,430.00
Botelho, Michael A.	56,292.98
Bouvier Jr., Michael J.	55,839.98
Hunt, Timothy J.	55,116.32
Souza, Gary F.	53,316.34
Souza, Timothy F.	51,247.49
Shepard, Arthur J.	50,597.08
Baiardi, Walter W.	49,588.97
Joseph, Peter V.	49,362.37

NAME	Y.T.D. GROSS
Bettencourt III, Jerald	48,745.35
Raphael, Alfred	45,819.44
Sullivan, Michael A.	44,216.38
Joseph III, Macy F.	43,674.73
Souza, Glenn R.	42,899.76
Riggs, Edward J.	40,114.14
Souza Jr., Herbert	38,603.45
Martin, Cari J.	34,155.02
Quintal, Lindsay A.	30,412.35
Lavallee, Roland E.	29,218.51
Wilkinson, Robert L.	28,958.82
Forgues, Susan M.	28,554.76
Adesso, Jaunna D.	27,456.41
Lopes, Antone P.	23,376.45
Lemaire, Michael F.	1,754.30
Bettencourt, James F.	616.78
Darmofal, Marc D.	616.78
Joseph, Scott P.	616.78
Kobza, Kevin W.	616.78
Peloquin, Laurie A.	616.78
Snizek, Frank M.	616.78
Lavallee, Roland E.	23,387.66
Wilkinson, Robert L.	15,950.26
Fire Dept. Salaries	
Francis, Timothy P.	75,099.65
Fletcher, Donn M.	69,506.82
Lincoln, Robert A.	54,218.15
Oliveira, Wayne	52,600.93
Burr, N. Chauncey	50,838.22
Therrien, Wally C.	50,761.69
Faunce, David M.	50,042.04
Samanica, Shawn P.	49,358.84
Messier, Brian P.	47,893.46
Silveira, Douglas E.	46,588.45
Barcellos, Michael A.	46,568.83
Correia, Paul J.	46,172.75
Cruz Jr., Frank	45,949.03
Correia, Todd M.	45,316.62
Freitas, Edward J.	43,915.58
Riggs, Brian E.	40,741.14
Scott, Nancy J.	40,058.97
Rocha, James M.	39,541.63

NAME	Y.T.D. GROSS
Almeida, Stephen G.	39,433.86
Martin, Michael A.	38,460.99
Fitzsimmons, Kristine A.	28,154.02
Medeiros III, Antone	1,701.78

Call Fire Dept. Salaries

Daniel, Brian P.	4,514.76
Polson, Kevin M.	4,400.22
Haworth, Geoffrey A.	2,934.67
Knowles, G. Bourne	2,726.26
Wright, Steven W.	2,502.00
Winnett, Scott C.	2,068.27
Thatcher, Thomas I.	2,056.97
Bettencourt, James F.	1,816.16
St. Marie, Joseph	1,775.25
Freitas, Daniel C.	1,549.33
St. Pierre, Michael A.	1,485.75
Medeiros III, Antone	1,193.11
Pimentel, Tammy L.	1,131.45
Kobza, Christopher	1,094.62
Furtado, Jeffrey E.	1,047.31
Gordon, David M.	856.87
Fostin, Wayne W.	801.08
Lincoln, Thomas J.	757.68
Pelland, Jason K.	647.13
Jones, David A.	433.07
Medeiros Jr., Antone	410.69
Guilotte, Timothy J.	403.85
Frates Jr., John M.	347.24
Rocha, Richard	333.33
Faunce, Mark S.	288.16
LaFrance, Scott M.	229.32
Perry, Robert B.	124.67
Viveiros, Kevin	58.11

Building Dept. Salaries

Fostin, Wayne W.	60,976.92
Robillard, Frances R.	31,820.37
Durrigan, Randall C.	15,907.92
Cardoza, Joseph U.	7,511.92
Alphonse, William J.	6,506.82
Gracia, George J.	3,577.90
Bobola, Andrew J.	1,558.40

NAME	Y.T.D. GROSS
Olsen, Andrew R.	190.48
Cotrill, John E.	97.70

Weights & Measures Salaries

Przybyszewski, Frank	5,043.66
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Civil Defense Salaries

Jodoin, Marc	2,680.40
Jodoin, Lynn	1,150.18

Dog Officer Salaries

Dias, Christy L.	30,823.88
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Tree Warden Salaries

Medeiros Jr., Antone	4,938.10
Smith, Franklin D. R.	11,642.99
Roseman, Alan H.	7,733.75
Tonnessen, Terje	1,366.21
Silva, Christine A.	888.38

Shellfish Inspector Salaries

Golas, Gary S.	31,496.20
Costa, Daniel	29,338.44
Patterson, Jason M.	6,041.88
Morel, William A.	5,301.19
Horsley, Steven	4,401.10
Dawicki Jr., Joseph F.	2,723.09
Pedersen, Kristopher T.	1,976.85
Kirkwood, Ashlee L.	1,742.20
Vaughan, Trevor M.	1,574.07
Loo, Matthew T.	1,492.80
Perry, Randall B.	1,395.78
Braga, Alfred M.	1,053.09
Estrella, Brandon J.	849.85
Medeiros, Joseph	795.42
Oliveira Jr., Thomas J.	295.60
Perkins, Harry T.	233.01

School Dept.

Ansay, Patricia H.	100,562.50
Rodrigues, Louis E.	76,086.26
Brunette, Karen A.	73,250.49
Oliveira, Nesta M.	54,248.54

NAME	Y.T.D. GROSS	NAME	Y.T.D. GROSS
Tripp, Claudette J.	42,483.15	Messier, Cynthia	52,902.58
Soares, Craig A.	39,750.78	Indio, Joan	52,651.19
Lewis, Jack M.	36,766.64	Harrington, Photoula B.	51,735.14
Smith, Matthew J.	33,712.05	Joseph, Susan	51,670.71
Lewis, Michael W.	31,961.12	Deschamps, Laurie A.	51,532.41
Hopwood, David W.	30,336.64	Veilleux, Joyce C.	51,324.70
Rosa, Steven A.	27,831.56	Howland, Joyce N.	51,309.00
Perry, Ruth Ann	24,518.54	Vieira, Linda A.	51,139.96
Costa, Anthony G.	12,137.95	Zelski, Elizabeth	51,109.00
King, Theresa A.	6,065.68	Josefek, Kristin	50,402.58
Fareas, Kathleen A.	5,510.40	Manchester, Patricia A.	50,352.04
Rei, Mary A.	4,594.05	Senay, Eileen C.	50,348.06
Melo, Theresa J.	3,699.00	Elliott, Karen E.	50,245.65
Benoit, Joshua F.	2,799.76	Harding, Joseph H.	50,220.45
Dossantos, Elaine R.	2,734.75	Whitehead, Joanne	49,960.50
Moore, Paula A.	2,673.64	Jacobsen, Suzanne	49,880.70
Bodeau, Robin A.	2,518.66	Sylvia, Mary Jane	49,798.24
Ferreira, Linda J.	2,392.70	Ainsley, Laura	49,744.45
Pedro, Michelle D.	2,344.15	Close, Elizabeth L.	49,602.58
Mendes, Beverly A.	2,331.05	Brogioli, David J.	49,363.50
Rosa, David J.	1,563.94	Bonneau, Sandra L.	49,070.81
Macek, Helen L.	1,326.96	Cunha, Marianne R.	48,958.24
Ferreira, Rebecca A.	1,309.50	Bender, Sue A.	48,053.45
Silver, Kathleen	1,178.62	Mello, Joyce M.	47,927.55
Knowles, Robin S.	964.67	Perry, Diane E.	47,883.45
Cruz, Kim M.	536.91	Bourgeault, Elaine	45,246.19
Ponte, Matthew J.	344.88	Desrosiers-Sylvia, L.C.	43,031.06
Tripanier, Sheri L.	78.58	Girard, Janice M.	42,939.04
Demoranville, Cynthia L.	65.48	Xifaras, Courtney A.	42,815.66
O'Neale, Dolores E.	61.11	Ponte, Ann M.	41,759.33
Neves, Lisa A.	28.38	Towers, Linda S.	41,387.81
Jones, Margaret L.	15.28	Pavlic, Michelle M.	41,211.08
Fernandes, Theresa M.	13.10	Lincoln, Teresa	41,026.95
Xifaras, Jenny	126,535.29	Schonheinz, Paula J.	40,988.64
Coderre, Dorothea	112,241.34	Costello, James P.	39,094.09
Hardman, Christine F.	66,658.99	Campoli, Rita T.	38,984.66
Brodeur, Richard R.	66,096.71	Ambra, Deborah L.	38,834.66
Perry, Nancy A.	56,337.13	Morrison, Wendy A.	38,361.99
Leboeuf, Celeste E.	54,687.03	Thomas, Lisa M.	37,901.29
Kilshaw, Maria	54,223.04	Galvam, Derek C.	37,513.88
Snigger, Nancy	53,869.06	Munce, Brian T.	37,472.55
Mawn, Patricia	53,380.48	Kennedy, Susan M.	37,310.74
Medeiros, Deborah V.	53,016.77	Carney, Linda J.	36,787.96

NAME	Y.T.D. GROSS	NAME	Y.T.D. GROSS
Konstantakos, Demetrios	36,694.50	Allaire, Charles E.	51,406.87
Cunha, Steven D.	36,673.45	Young, Bryan A.	50,781.86
Turner, Valerie L.	34,696.89	Dorgan, Karen	50,208.84
Warecki, Cynthia L.	34,577.61	Ahlander, Mary Joanna	49,796.24
Cunha, Dennis J.	32,629.45	Silva, William	49,474.61
Niziolek, Karen S.	31,735.25	Day, Cheryl A.	48,210.05
Lasalle, Jacqueline L.	31,498.30	Gelinas, Peter M.	46,253.36
Tonnessen, Lois A.	31,278.11	Arsenault, Karen M.	44,075.09
Henriques, Janice I.	29,944.73	Nunes, Nelly R.	43,815.08
Burke, Kathleen A.	29,895.22	Chretien, Pamela A.	43,384.31
Liarikos, Anne-Marie	27,578.06	Brown, Bradford P.	42,551.35
Charpentier, Donna M.	25,993.27	Bruce, David A.	42,453.24
Mello, Jeana B.	24,483.16	Santos, Robert J.	41,972.51
Read, Patricia M.	23,686.81	Charette, Charlene J.	41,870.29
Dargon, Ann Marie	23,572.16	Mendell, Thomas R.	41,841.04
Lucas, Geraldine A.	23,369.28	LeBlanc, Kimberly A.	41,679.89
Besse, Susan A.	21,663.63	Lee, Timothy P.	39,016.18
Lewis, Nancy J.	14,838.97	Drouin, Pamela R.	36,856.44
Desena, Audrey V.	14,653.83	Gonsalves, Michelle L.	34,659.46
Blanchette, Darlene M.	13,761.35	Baldo, Christopher J.	34,049.46
Decosta, Linda	13,536.95	Souza, Laurie J.	33,933.00
Carroll, Jill K.	13,084.39	Duval, Aline	33,478.68
Hobson, Jacqueline M.	13,050.48	Hebert, Laurie A.	33,455.61
Andrade, Leona E.	12,745.92	L'Heureux, Roger G.	32,221.02
Fournier, Kevin N.	12,207.35	Vieira, Natalia	31,348.14
Rezendes, Donna M.	11,668.37	Roda, Jonathan M.	31,049.18
Rose, Alan F.	9,329.97	Koczera, Christine C.	29,724.69
Eldridge, Elizabeth A.	7,707.12	English, Shannon S.	29,644.55
Bichel, Keri A.	4,014.69	McLeod, John R.	28,957.53
Mahaney, James	73,760.62	Bendiksen, Tove E.	26,813.92
Baldwin, Robert N.	66,978.78	Childs, Jodie M.	24,852.04
Vincent, Desiree	57,601.62	Fernandes, Kathleen	24,427.20
Gardner, Glenn D.	57,523.37	Liarikos, Catherine A. C.	24,100.33
Hall, Alice C.	55,381.28	Simmons, Gail R.	22,151.72
Nelsen, Doreen	54,758.23	Botelho, Eugene S.	22,015.44
Fernandes, David	54,594.77	Rock, Janet L.	21,775.14
Costa, Daniel	54,385.94	Eastman, Kristen E.	15,801.28
Goss, Marilyn S.	53,797.59	Alvernaz, Marie E.	13,777.66
Foster, Christopher J.	53,450.47	Sensabaugh, Ruthann	13,023.42
Degaetano, Russell D.	52,649.07	St. Pierre, Lydia L.	12,440.30
Marchand, Richard	52,585.17	McCorkle Parker, John J.	12,083.24
Clement, Kathleen	52,250.11	Morissey, Renee A.	11,271.57
Tavares, Madeleine	51,468.08	Harrington, Joanne	10,294.86

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King, Jennifer B.	10,294.86	Santos, Janet	44,836.93
Coelho, Robert P.	726.80	McCabe, Paul M.	44,605.38
Paquette, Suzanne M.	185.00	Cipollini, Charles	44,397.47
Haaland, John	96,513.74	Carroll, Erich C.	43,227.74
Newburn, John C.	76,282.17	Margeson, Robert A.	41,985.07
Marchand, Robert L.	64,819.97	Kaner, Carol	41,829.52
Saudade, Elizabeth A.	64,608.56	Oswald, Raymond M.	40,111.93
Almeida, Dana B.	63,888.10	Hamric, Constance A.	39,325.65
Sarrey, Deborah E.	60,704.28	Ramsden, Karen L.	38,674.75
Henriques, Michael	60,301.37	Carlozzi, Rosamaria	38,667.88
Medeiros, David	59,687.90	Welty, David J.	37,959.35
Fernandes, Paul R.	59,230.45	Rocha, Corey J.	36,198.78
Harding, Philip M.	57,350.37	Nailor, Michael A.	32,601.24
Robert, Janet	56,968.66	Pease, Jane	32,053.65
Girouard, Eileen R.	56,757.16	McNaught, Edward J.	31,913.38
Barriteau, Stephen	56,453.98	Costa, Brian	31,897.36
Medeiros, Douglas R.	56,298.50	Ellis Jr., Ralph K.	30,482.93
Risgin, John E.	55,238.32	Vigeant, George R.	29,118.50
Shaw, Naomi	55,132.66	Medeiros, Ronald W.	28,943.91
Drouin Jr., Rene H.	54,940.86	Cote Jr., Jean M.	28,682.78
Rhodes, Christene M.	53,780.60	Brocklehurst, Kristy L.	27,382.10
Foley, Margaret	53,777.53	Paiva, Helena M.	26,336.22
Perry, Kraig S.	53,030.61	Joseph Jr., Donald A.	26,154.78
Ribeiro, Manuel J.	52,730.57	Cambra, Steven D.	25,493.44
Burr, Norman C.	52,352.28	Davis, Anne M.	23,796.90
Evangelho, Gail	52,332.40	Chase, Douglas H.	22,812.22
Mahan, Debra B.	52,237.87	LeClerc, Suzanne I.	22,199.84
Monuteaux, Gary B.	52,109.00	Leshyk, Janet P.	21,759.84
Lima, Carolyn	51,822.73	Monette, Elizabeth A.	20,219.64
Goes, Kathleen A.	51,743.86	Marchand, Michael J.	19,774.66
Rolnick, Jacqueline M.	51,632.04	Mello, Katie J.	17,064.63
Perry, Diane R.	51,028.61	Morency, Janice	16,992.10
Young, Maureen	50,603.36	Rego, Dawn C.	14,644.41
Albritton, Heather J.	50,525.57	Emery, Meredith D.	13,738.55
Harvey, Penelope	50,402.86	Bresowar, Julie L.	12,862.04
Cordeiro, Donna	49,747.86	Ellis, Sharon M.	12,500.49
Gonsalves, Lorraine W.	49,513.57	Kendall, Jamie L.	10,334.86
Belanger, Barbara	49,408.96	Mahoney, Kevin C.	10,294.86
Bender, Stephen	49,070.93	Sylvia, Lisa A.	10,294.86
Lopes, Diane A.	48,503.41	Bourgeois, Troy W.	9,931.88
Langlois, Michelle L.	48,497.57	Brennan, John G.	9,000.40
Williams, Thomas P.	48,474.25	Benoit, Jacob F.	8,774.45
Hardy, Kathleen M.	47,928.57	Antil, Jeffrey R.	5,533.00

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Martins, Diane M.	5,271.75	Botelho, Kevin J.	15,030.17
Patenaude, Jane E.	4,350.95	St. Laurent, Lisa A.	15,009.64
Galvam Jr., Samuel	3,701.00	Barclay, Elizabeth A.	14,886.41
Plante, Timothy L.	3,530.00	Surprenant, Linda P.	14,659.64
Bottomley, John A.	3,033.60	Howland, Heather L.	13,972.22
Saxon, Jill K.	2,918.26	Bonas, Gerald L.	13,919.64
Rapoza, Amy L.	2,410.10	Medeiros, Carol L.	13,618.67
Crisafulli, Andrew D.	1,920.00	Pittsley, Kathleen M.	13,381.39
Carvalho, Lisa M.	1,829.00	Tillett, Eva T.	12,719.36
Kennedy, Meghan A.	1,523.50	Correia, Cheryl A.	12,061.87
Farr, Booker T.	1,325.03	Green, Helen M.	12,030.77
Walsh, Carol F.	712.50	Ouellette, Michelle A.	11,975.38
Mulcare-Sullivan, J. A.	600.00	Loo, Susan L.	11,527.44
Grace, Kyle V.	300.00	Alvares, Karen J.	11,510.62
Medeiros Jr., Anibal	300.00	Pimentel, Priscilla M.	11,204.80
Tripp III, Ralph W.	82,143.27	Monteiro, Donald R.	10,749.26
Meredith, Linda J.	54,787.76	Trombly, Cori E.	10,695.79
Monuteaux, Theresa E.	54,582.76	Simmons, Jody L.	10,425.21
Gent, Suzanne	53,332.84	Altman-Sherman, Robin J.	10,294.86
Tracey, Joan M.	53,330.26	Lopes, Carolyn	9,922.62
Hough-Gosselin, Mary E.	53,065.36	Frias, Debra A.	9,438.22
Toni, Roger J.	52,231.85	Oliveira, Rebecca J.	8,626.89
Marchand, Karen L.	50,914.61	Sylva, Lynne	8,201.28
Horowitz, Lois R.	50,092.86	Perreira, Susan	7,904.47
Burke, Karen	48,758.72	Broderick, Susan A.	7,894.54
McGreevy III, Thomas E.	48,648.72	Demers, Audrey J.	7,808.35
Jarvis, Diane M.	39,135.30	Silveria, Leslie E.	7,488.35
Disalvo, Janette S.	35,168.55	Silva, Brenda J.	6,946.25
Foster, Brendan M.	24,243.75	McGuire, Amy S.	6,598.67
Morency, Victor	23,097.19	Pontbriand, Sandra E.	5,534.84
Dupont, Carolyn	22,881.59	Daniel, Polly	5,281.95
Hayes, Annie	22,805.56	McKay, Robin	5,213.63
Santos, Sharon	22,464.58	Wilkinson, Patrick	4,986.19
LeClerc, Patricia A.	22,405.47	Williams, Cheryl A.	4,661.95
Smith, Joan M.	21,757.64	Dillon, Louise	4,621.95
Schmitt, Deborah L.	20,743.40	Perry, Donna M.	4,290.00
Ross, John M.	20,635.47	Mogawer, Enas S.	2,812.50
Frates, Kathleen M.	20,157.87	Fox, Jean C.	2,575.94
Kocor, Anne E.	19,533.40	Maloney, Sean M.	2,575.00
Simmons, Pamela	18,992.90	Peckham-Costa, Linda	2,553.32
Nigra, Anne E.	18,111.00	Portas, Bruce W.	1,282.50
Deegan, Marietta R.	17,053.86	Markey, Karen A.	1,222.00
Morton II, James R.	15,180.66	Bancroft, Chelsea M.	1,163.60

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Lapre, Charles L.	1,065.00	Medeiros, Algerina	7,492.46
Hennessy, Sarah K.	948.70	Fletcher, Theresa	7,488.96
Case, Yvette A.	750.00	Parr, Diane M.	7,229.46
Ferreira, Lorrie A.	720.00	Silvia, Mary J.	6,810.40
Martin, Krystal M.	486.00	Rapoza, Suzanne I.	6,368.29
Manzone, Nancy J.	313.00	Moniz, Mary H.	6,307.14
Baldwin, Amy J.	238.00	Moniz, Karen	6,302.03
Mitchell, Paul M.	238.00	Birtwistle, Dawn	5,689.83
Rossi, Sarah E.	237.88	Lassiter, Lori-Ann	5,651.34
McCann, Susan M.	187.50	Fleurent, Susan E.	4,415.25
Furtado, Michael S.	175.50	Dias, Cynthia L.	3,099.70
Hevey, Adam C.	175.50	Rodrigues, Theodora M.	1,526.40
Carvalho, Sherri Lynn	164.55	Clafflin, Lynn D.	1,366.62
Pontbriand, Andrew R.	129.88	Senna, Michelle M.	778.95
Pontbriand, Christopher	129.88	Cruz, Sarrie L.	735.77
Carr, Ryan P.	67.50	Deoliveira, Deborah A.	516.40
Dawicki, Colleen M.	67.50	Taylor, Jeffrey	310.00
Denault, Brett K.	67.50	Hunley, Loralynn M.	213.88
Vieira, Peter J.	67.50	Archambault, Pamela	116.44
Dacosta, Joshua D.	62.50	Tache, Donna L.	40.50
Mullen, Patrick M.	62.50	Higgins, Geraldine A.	5,224.56
Gilmore, Charlotte E. R.	56,444.06	Luminiello, Wanda A.	3,270.96
Lyle, Lucille O.	28,433.60	Crabbe, Patricia	3,128.75
Cabral, Linda M.	20,696.16	Corkum, Maryalice	3,074.40
DeCosta, Denise A.	20,347.02	Botelho, Jennifer A.	3,012.20
Woodis, Joann	17,728.44	Blais, Cindy L.	1,835.99
Santos, Donna E.	14,948.34	Lavoie, Corine A.	1,527.48
Beaudoin, Shirley A.	14,835.24	Alferes, James E.	1,166.40
Botelho, Barbara V.	14,154.62	Dompierre, Kerry A.	130.38
Smith Jr., Harley W.	14,040.05	Gordon, Alice E.	39,405.15
Gracia, Helen M.	14,028.46	Tyson, Donna M.	36,209.23
Cambra, Brenda J.	13,806.94	Sturgeon, Sheri L.	32,731.94
Mendonca, Janice T.	13,689.66	Goulet, Deanne M.	31,127.94
Casilhas, Shirley A.	13,177.06	Lavoie, Judith E.	26,899.87
Charron, Jacqueline	12,265.78	Andrews, Beth J.	24,968.50
Rock, Gail F.	11,932.76	McGinn, Mary K.	13,984.86
Souza, Rita L.	11,607.96	Daniele, Louisa A.	12,367.23
Dos Santos, Rosemary L.	10,842.41	Decas, Sarah A.	6,375.00
Raphael, Margaret A.	10,657.31	Carella, Maria J.	1,980.00
Benoit, Sandra E.	10,556.13	Christ, Mariann	1,225.00
Bobola, Nancy J.	9,756.60	Barrow, Maureen E.	38,685.65
Faria-Sylvia, Diane	9,670.26	Gaudreau-Mahata, M. Jean	32,232.61
Paulson, Charlene A.	8,710.35	Fabian, Jeanne M.	23,985.00

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Mattos, Dawn M.	20,838.18	Ussach, Harvey B.	980.00
Jorgensen, Anne H.	20,749.34	Ferreira, Henry	900.00
Gubler, Kristin N.	20,522.43	Aadland, Tanya R.	840.00
Carreiro, Leslye A.	5,632.80	Walker, Alexis E.	840.00
Barrow, Patricia	47,534.94	Hopkinson, Janet R.	780.00
Medeiros, Marcia M.	43,788.25	Dorsey, Maureen A.	630.00
Tyler, Carolyn W.	11,536.95	Almeida, Margo G.	600.00
Hartman, Kathleen P.	9,660.00	Rogers, Michael J.	595.00
Robinson, Michael D.	8,380.00	Lopes, Barbara A.	560.00
Kane, AnneMarie E.	6,960.00	Theodore, Betty A.	540.00
Lamarre, Sara E.	5,185.00	Wolk, Meghan R.	540.00
Winnett, Heidi M.	5,153.36	Farrell, Deborah A.	495.00
Almeida, Derek D.	4,735.70	Jason, Jeffrey W.	475.00
Rock, Teresa A.	4,411.61	Botelho, Eugene V.	420.00
DeSilva, David A.	4,410.00	Lalli, Anne C.	420.00
Karvonen, Kimberly D.	4,320.00	Mendes, Viana S.	420.00
McClenning, Christopher	4,140.75	Pease, Elizabeth A.	420.00
Ponte, Michael S.	3,960.00	Sylvia, Michael J.	420.00
Simpson, Jennifer M.	3,945.00	Foster, Nancy N.	405.00
Cleveland, Breanne R.	3,810.00	Burr, Susan P.	390.00
Moniz, Kathy	3,420.00	Seifert, Gail M.	360.00
Sylvia, Janice A.	2,852.50	Azevedo, Wendy A.	350.00
Charpentier, Melissa A.	2,810.00	Manzone, Alyssa J.	350.00
Josefek, Sara	2,800.00	Hancock, Bryan A.	300.00
Al-Alam, Deryl D.	2,730.00	Popielarz, Holly J.	300.00
Lopes, Kimberly C.	2,705.00	Wilgren-Rosario, Diane	300.00
Gordon, Erin B.	2,680.00	Robillard, Steven J.	295.00
Myers, Susan M.	2,565.00	Rocha, Michael A.	295.00
Kupiec, Kyle S.	2,460.00	Larkin, Jonathan	240.00
Verni, James M.	2,335.00	Morris, Jennifer E.	240.00
Sher, Shane M.	2,275.00	Bergeron, James M.	235.00
Gallant, Ellyn C.	1,930.00	Kilshaw, Catherine A.	230.00
Oliveira, Kathleen R.	1,897.00	Gemaly, Judith A.	227.50
Brisson, Jayne M.	1,890.00	Duarte, Melissa A.	180.00
Pisarczyk, Michael J.	1,855.00	Hergenhan, John J.	180.00
Girouard, Meaghan R.	1,800.00	Rezendes, Matthew W.	180.00
Lopez, Rod A.	1,675.00	Varnum, Jennifer A.	180.00
Glazier, Kenneth R.	1,380.00	Sampsom, Michelle A.	150.00
Clark, Lisa M.	1,300.00	Ashworth, Beth A.	120.00
Lopes, Heather L.	1,195.00	Bernier, Michele C.	120.00
Perreira, Susan	1,125.00	Casey, Glenn J.	120.00
Carreiro, Christopher R.	1,113.78	Dembroski, Heather	120.00
Kenworthy, Jacqueline	980.00	Hodges, Heidi R.	120.00

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Sarrey, Lauren E.	120.00
Chase, Edward L.	70.00
Eskedahl, Jenna C.	70.00
Beserosky, Melanie S.	60.00
Broadland, Muriel	60.00
Jardin, Michael P.	60.00
Leary, Colleen F.	60.00
Magano-Gomes, Anna S.	60.00
Rose, Lynn E.	60.00
Sanders, Dorrie L.	60.00
Souza, Jennifer L.	60.00
Gallagher, Theresa R.	28,704.72
Lopes, Sheri A.	23,341.97
Souza, Kimberly A.	19,793.65
Redman, Mary E.	10,643.57
Richard, Jilian B.	2,342.71
Albert, Shaunda L.	19,221.57
Begin, Susan J.	2,679.60
Barboza, Carole A.	24,019.19
Bancroft, Constance A.	11,614.57
Flefeh-Vincent, Yasmin	11,614.57
Frazier, Regina	11,144.86
Barlow, Christina D.	15,163.84
Duphily, Pamela M.	35,766.55
Charette, Jo-Anne H.	52,713.46
Bunnell, Nancy P.	37,143.61
Pereira, Joann M.	36,188.58
Dawicki, Laura M.	3,269.92
Cordeiro, Michelle J.	2,532.46
Lagasse, Diane	28,988.76
Dugas, Janet J.	17,784.70
Hopp, Kimberli F.	15,520.10
Blanchette, Karen A.	10,004.45
Joseph, Robert M.	2,220.00
Bizarro, Louise M.	358.68

Highway Division Salaries

Charbonneau, John M.	53,360.84
Gouveia Sr., Richard A.	39,386.34
Martin Jr., Albert N.	37,795.74
Daigle, Paul N.	37,067.57
Harrison, David R.	36,753.66
Costa, Paul J.	36,619.75

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Pombo Jr., John F.	35,767.82
Mello, Norman	35,581.60
Rusinoski, Mitchell J.	34,102.71
Pinard, Douglas K.	33,717.75
Bonneau, Joseph C.	32,005.06
DeCosta, Michael D.	31,917.71
Frates, Joseph E.	31,828.75
Tripp, Kathy A.	31,708.47
Martin Jr., James	29,426.19
Debarros, Warren F.	29,393.16
Parent, Robert M.	29,127.96
Affonce, Kenneth E.	11,585.78
Schroeder, Stephen P.	10,820.16
Rogers, Steven M.	6,090.24
Harrison, John B.	1,195.27

D.P.W. Adm. Salaries

Raphael, Alfred F.	78,808.81
Bragga, George W.	30,002.38
Carey, Robert J.	16,615.44

Sewer Division Salaries

Simmons, Linda L.	60,760.55
Paczosa, Raymond J.	54,483.49
Robillard, Rene J.	44,923.24
Freitas, Daniel C.	41,866.50
Morau, Michael R.	40,392.45
Everett Sr., Robert D.	39,405.52
Furtado, Jeffrey E.	37,514.37
Ellis, Walton K.	36,113.26
Gomes, Robert B.	35,527.43
Carreiro, Jeffrey E.	33,381.28
Hathaway, Dana M.	31,608.44
Nogueira, Kim M.	29,377.61
Boucher, Barry W.	28,022.55
Woodis Sr., Roger S.	27,764.90
Mandeville, Michael W.	14,692.20
Galotti, Dominic V.	8,061.13
Machado, Joseph A.	6,016.33
Mercier, George A.	2,615.15
Gaudreau, Andrew P.	2,408.70

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Water Division Salaries	
Fortin, Edward L.	61,238.40
Ambra, George P.	45,101.88
Fleurent, Karl G.	41,129.66
Scieszka, Jon A.	39,135.13
Gadomski, Stanley J.	38,788.62
Perry, Scott M.	29,245.35
St. Amand, Yvette Y.	28,327.68
Medeiros, Elaine J.	28,054.69
Viveiros, Robert	27,764.43
Reid, Taylor H.	1,669.85
Cormier, Shirley E.	788.13

Board of Health	
Fowle, Patricia B.	55,277.45
Darwin, M. Teresa	32,381.75
Doerr, Joseph	1,200.00
Badwey, John A.	892.14
Caton, Dolores	892.14
Szeliga, David	892.14

Council on Aging Salaries	
Lacerda, Betty S.	40,921.66
Vandenburgh, Cynthia J.	23,031.88
Taylor, Kerri A.	17,951.91
Houghton, Rosemarie	16,384.79
Cookinham, Joyce A.	15,906.12
Silver, Jean	13,141.20
Toyfair, Roland W.	11,641.87
Simmons, Paul	8,110.59
Rapoza, Judith M.	4,671.22
Lagasse, Tammy A.	4,130.35
O'Neil, Bonnie L.	4,109.60
Snell, Cecile A.	3,240.13
Crompton, Linda L.	884.48
Barcellos Jr., Frank	246.80

Veterans Services Salaries	
Cochran, James A.	15,559.56
Vaudry Jr., Louis F.	61.42

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Recreation Comm. Salaries	
Almeida, Dana B.	4,235.97
L'Etoile, Andrew J.	2,486.88
Pease, Scott M.	1,394.90
Tanque, Julie Ann	1,098.45
Barclay, Christopher D.	1,018.29
Gadbois, Andrew R.	999.41
Macedo, Kevin J.	862.12
Charpentier, Joshua P.	847.94
Botelho, Kendra L.	734.04
Lovegrove, Robert A.	690.14
Dellecese, Alfred C.	660.65
Almeida Jr., Joseph	610.61
Erotokritakis, Kostanti	602.15
Bowers, Jennifer L.	563.00
Mitchell, Kevin R.	390.68
Patterson, Nathan W.	200.40
Remillard, Adam T.	189.94
Hellyar, Laurel A.	124.20
Carr, Shamus E.	109.48
Tapper, Heather E.	90.08
Antil, Erin M.	67.56
Bancroft, Jared M.	67.56
Carvalho, Trista L.	67.56
Hellyar, Rachael R.	67.56
Ponte, Mark H.	67.56
Bobola, Gregory M.	66.42

Rec. Center Salaries	
Covington, John H.	43,678.13
Tavares, Renee A.	10,508.00
Mitchell, Keturah B.	349.52
Powers, Ryan J.	193.09

Parks Division Salaries	
Pinard, Richard W.	35,946.66
Paulson, Matthew S.	5,087.24
Walker, Nathaniel S.	4,360.65
Strouse, Christopher S.	4,131.91
Kocor, Caroline R.	3,780.46
Greenway, Carey L.	2,688.24
Greenway, Ryan T.	2,500.96
Tripp, Kerri L.	2,119.08

NAME	Y.T.D. GROSS
Peirce, Carolyn M.	2,102.17
Westgate, Gary J.	1,989.82
Trahan, Matthew J.	1,465.35
Dessert, Ryan E.	549.00
Lucas, Peter C.	76.05
Finger, Daniel S.	74.40
Cobb, Adam B.	47.05
Graves, David W.	14.15

Police Off Duty

Alves, Michael G.	4,008.25
Bolarinho, John A.	2,429.00
Alcaldinho, Joseph L.	2,088.00
Sher, Paul M.	1,592.00
DeMello, Robert C.	1,546.00
Pires, Michael J.	1,206.00
Bettencourt, Robert M.	1,008.00
Vezina, Shane R.	655.00
Ferreira, Wayne A.	641.00
Couto, Joseph	522.00
Costa, James D.	480.00
King, Justin L.	480.00
Garde, Trenton E.	424.00
Mello, Edward M.	419.50
Snizek, Frank M.	377.00
Douglas, Paul M.	359.50
Clement, Paul M.	285.00
Martins, Jerry D.	240.00
Clattenburg, George H.	228.00
Souza, Mark D.	228.00
Melo, Paul J.	224.00
Ramos, Richard G.	224.00
Williams, Jeffrey M.	204.00
Moniz, David	200.00
Silvia, Andrew	200.00
Alves, Derek F.	184.00
Marcosa, Philip B.	184.00
O'Neil, David M.	184.00
Souza, David R.	184.00
Melo, Jamie L.	150.00
Dufresne, Edmund R.	120.00
Mello, Jeffrey J.	120.00
King, Jason A.	115.00

NAME	Y.T.D. GROSS
Non Contributory Salaries	
Olivera, Margaret M.	7,662.72
Gov. Access Prog.	
Marnik, Edwin J.	2,173.60
Brennan, Michael A.	1,014.00
Medeiros, Christopher A.	854.63
Quintin, Marcelino J.	390.00
Kennedy, John J.	166.40

913 Total Active Employees

Gross Payroll 18,622,187.81

Employee Gross Earnings for calendar year ending December 2001.

Police earnings reflect regular, overtime, and off duty earnings paid by third party vendors.

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

		Term Expires
Paula Gardner	13 Jenna Drive	2002
Thomas Perry	19 Cherrystone Road	2002
Michele E. Merolla	62R Manhattan Avenue	2003
Michael R. Souza, Vice Chairman	113 Howland Road	2003
Michael A. Gagne	17 Deane Street	2004
Mark Sylvia, Chairman	25 Brown Street	2004

ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF

Dr. Patricia H. Ansay, 22 Nimitz Street, North Dartmouth
Superintendent of Schools and Secretary to the School Committee

Ralph W. Tripp, III, 163 Carroll Street, New Bedford
Assistant Superintendent for Special Education/Pupil Personnel Services

Louis E. Rodrigues, 835 Sconticut Neck Road, Fairhaven
Assistant Superintendent for Business Administration

Karen A. Brunette, 7 Brookview Street, Fairhaven
Director of Curriculum and Instruction K-12

Jean Cote, 28 Gidley Road, North Dartmouth
Principal, Fairhaven High School

James Mahaney, 57 Union Street, Fairhaven
Principal, Hastings Middle School

Geraldine Lucas, 4 King Philip Highway, East Freetown
Principal, East Fairhaven School

Ann Dargon, 12 Oak Street, Wareham
Principal, Oxford School

Richard Brodeur, 13 Majocka Drive, Westport
Principal, Rogers School

Christine Hardman, 28 Davis Street, Fairhaven
Principal, Leroy L. Wood School

2001-02 SCHOOL YEAR

	Weeks	Opening Date	Closing Date	Days
First Term	17	Wed., Aug. 29	Fri., Dec. 21	78
Second Term	6	Mon., Jan. 7	Fri., Feb. 15	29
Third Term	7	Mon., Feb. 25	Fri., Apr. 12	34
Fourth Term	9	Mon., Apr. 22	Fri., June 21	44
	<u>39</u>			<u>185</u>

There will be no school on the following holidays, which occur during the scheduled term of the school year 2001-02:

Monday, Oct. 8	Columbus Day
Monday, Nov. 12	Veteran's Day
Thurs. & Fri., Nov. 22, 23	Thanksgiving Recess from noon Wed., Nov. 21
Monday, Jan. 21	Martin Luther King Day
Friday, Mar. 29	Good Friday
Monday, May 27	Memorial Day

TOTAL ENROLLMENT OCTOBER 1, 2001

	GRADES	PRINCIPAL	ENROLL- MENT
Fairhaven High	9-12	Jean Cote	672
Hastings Middle	6-8	James P. Mahaney	622
E. Fairhaven	K-5	Geraldine Lucas	313
Oxford	K-5	Ann Dargon	257
Rogers	K-5	Richard Brodeur	276
Wood	K-5	Christine Hardman	204
			<u>2,344</u>

ENROLLMENT BY SCHOOL AND LEVEL OCTOBER 1, 2001

School	Pre-School	Kinder- garten	Primary	Inter- mediate	Ungraded	Total
E. Fairhaven	19	45	144	105		313
Oxford	0	36	120	96	5	257
Rogers	19	27	130	100		276
Wood	0	26	98	80		204
	<u>38</u>	<u>134</u>	<u>492</u>	<u>381</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>1,050</u>
		Gr. 6	Gr. 7	Gr. 8		
Hastings Middle		191	220	211		622

	Gr. 9	Gr. 10	Gr. 11	Gr. 12	
Fairhaven High	209	156	164	143	672
Total Enrollment					2,344

SUMMARY OF ENROLLMENT

Oct., 2001	Pre-School	Kinder-garten	Elementary	Jr. High/ Middle Sch	High	Total
1990		136	883	527	636	2,182
1991		164	878	541	643	2,226
1992		134	922	549	611	2,216
1993		151	885	574	594	2,204
1994		180	913	574	569	2,236
1995		161	916	617	548	2,242
1996		149	928	595	537	2,209
1997		152	937	582	537	2,208
1998		136	954	566	556	2,212
1999		129	917	576	608	2,230
2000		142	879	601	632	2,254
2001	38	134	916	622	672	2,344

SPECIAL NEEDS ENROLLMENTS 2000-2001 School Year

	502.1	502.2	502.3	502.4	502.5	502.6	502.7	502.8	Total
FY02	17	157	114	36	6	4	2	29	365
FY01	14	177	90	52	0	8	3	24	368
Diff	3	-20	24	-16	6	-4	-1	5	-3

502.1	Monitoring Programs
502.2	Local Programs up to 449 minutes per week
502.3	Local Programs between 450-1080 minutes per week
502.4	Local Programs between 1081-1800 minutes per week
502.5	Out of district day programs
502.6	Residential programs
502.7	Home tutoring/Hospital programs
502.8	Pre-School programs

EXPENDITURES
FISCAL YEAR 1999-00, 2000-01

	EXPENDED 1999-00	EXPENDED 2000-01
SCHOOL COMMITTEE/SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE		
Salaries	352,440	312,026
Other Expenses	60,686	93,018
INSTRUCTIONAL COSTS		
Salaries	7,195,061	7,831,079
Supplies/Textbooks	333,951	362,328
Trust Fund	0	0
PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT	124,289	129,334
EDUCATIONAL TECHNOLOGY	218,228	133,387
TM Article/Trust Funds	16,271	0
HEALTH & ATTENDANCE		
Salaries	190,813	173,774
Other Expenses	8,272	7,315
ATHLETIC & STUDENT ACTIVITIES		
Salaries	223,053	224,337
Other Expenses	76,423	72,433
FOOD SERVICES		
Other Expenses	921	0
OPERATIONS & MAINTENANCE OF PLANT		
Salaries	674,819	732,770
Supplies & Repairs	604,116	949,841
TM Articles	40,265	58,804
Trust Funds	2,890	57
Trust Fund/Rogers—4 Entrance/Classroom Doors	8,300	0
Trust Fund/Rogers—Replacement Flag Pole	1,237	0
TM Article – FHS Bldg. Project	2,393,970	631,522
FIXED CHARGES		
Insurance & Rentals	37,725	40,490

	EXPENDED 1999-00	EXPENDED 2000-01
ADULT EDUCATION	6,925	4,439
NEW EQUIPMENT/EQUIP. REPLACEMENT	0	0
TRANSPORTATION	146,575	151,110
TUITION	4,850	12,900
	<u>12,722,080</u>	<u>11,920,964</u>
SPECIAL NEEDS PROGRAMS		
Salaries	1,401,242	1,441,039
Supplies/Textbooks	248,968	210,527
Transportation	418,831	411,727
Tuition	1,401,270	1,254,012
	<u>3,470,311</u>	<u>3,317,305</u>
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	<u>16,192,391</u>	<u>15,238,269</u>
AVAILABLE FUNDS UTILIZED		
Appropriation School Budget	13,729,458	14,547,886
TM Article – Educational Technology	16,271	0
TM Articles – Special Repair/Elem Facility Study	40,265	0
TM Article – Hastings Boiler	0	58,804
TM Article – FHS Bldg. Project	2,393,970	631,522
Trust Fund Income	12,427	57
	<u>16,192,391</u>	<u>15,238,269</u>
RECEIPTS ON ACCOUNT OF SCHOOLS		
Trust Fund Income	12,427	57
OTHER INCOME		
School Aid, Chapter 70	6,396,792	6,776,542
Transportation, Chapter 71	55,868	71,397
Tuition, State Wards	78,468	42,863
Aid to School Construction	1,154,333	1,154,333
State School Lunch	18,695	17,298
Medical Care & Assistance	16,963	27,985
Aid for Regional Schools	0	0
TOTAL RECEIPTS/OTHER INCOME	<u>7,733,546</u>	<u>8,090,475</u>

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE AND SUPERINTENDENT

I hereby submit my Annual Report covering Fiscal Year 2001, as required by Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 72 Section 4.

CURRICULUM

The Massachusetts Department of Education has published curriculum frameworks in the areas of English/Language Arts, Mathematics, Foreign Languages, the Arts, History/Social Sciences, Health and Science/Technology, since the inception of the 'Education Reform Act of 1993'. Revisions of English/Language Arts, Mathematics, Science/Technology/Engineering have been released this past year. Revised History/Social Sciences are expected to be released in early 2002. These frameworks are meant to be guidelines for teaching, learning, and assessment for students in preschool through grade twelve.

Fairhaven educators are continuously involved in aligning the various curricula to the frameworks as they are adopted. Recent frameworks are becoming more grade specific. District grade level and department teaching staff meet to align curriculum and communicate with other grade standards level teachers in an ongoing process.

Currently, the district teaching staff is completing the English/Language Arts, and Mathematics curriculum with the revised frameworks. The Early Childhood Curriculum Committee worked assiduously developing a curriculum for our eight new full-day kindergartens. This curriculum focused on developing foundations for teaching, learning, and assessing in each of the Massachusetts Curriculum Frameworks. The kindergarten program is pursuing accreditation with the National Association of Education of Young Children, as indicated through the grant, which supports full-day kindergartens.

As Massachusetts curriculum frameworks are revised and adopted by the state Department of Education, the Fairhaven Public Schools is involved in an ongoing process of evaluating, writing, implementing, and monitoring programs. This has implications for staff training, textbook, supplementary materials, teacher stipends, and substitute costs.

SPECIAL NEEDS

Fairhaven Public Schools provides specialized programs and services for children with special needs. A wide range of programs are offered in all six (6) schools for children who have need for speech, hearing, emotional, learning disabilities, and development disabilities programs. Each child with a special need has an 'Individual Education Plan' (I.E.P.), which is developed on an annual basis. Inclusion as part of the regular program continues to develop and expand. These programs, provide special needs children educational opportunities, with their non-disabled peers in the least restrictive environment.

Each year state mandated requirements and changes in federal law necessitate the need for increase in special needs budgets. These increases are more dramatic than that of the regular program due to the specialized types of instruction required. Additionally, the requirements for assistive technology is ever growing. Nevertheless, the school department continues to strike a balance between the needs of regular education students and special education students; providing meaningful educational services to all Fairhaven students. Over the last two years, the special needs population has continued to decline, but this year as in the past, DSS placements and move-ins continue to impact on the program. Many of these children have extraordinary needs. Usually no advanced warning is given about their arrival. These youngsters are serviced in inclusive no special education programs and in modified regular education programs where possible. This year the referrals for 3 & 4 year old youngsters has grown. By taking over this program from South Coast MA Collaborative, the district has saved a considerable amount. These youngsters come to us from Early Intervention programs or our in-town screening programs.

Students with low incidence highly involved special needs challenges are provided services in specialized out-of-district facilities. Currently, 18 students are enrolled in the following out-of-district programs: Baird Center in Plymouth; Cardinal Cushing, Hanover; Kennedy-Donovan Center, New Bedford; New Bedford Hearing Impaired Program; READS Collaborative, Middleboro; the Schwartz Center in New Bedford; South Coast Educational Collaborative, Seekonk; and St. Vincent's in Fall River and Westport, Southeast Alternative High School in Middleboro and Berkley, and Brighton High School. The number of students in out of town placements have decreased by three (3). The tuition of the schools as set by the state has increased in all cases and continues to do so annually. The increases can come at anytime during the year and are usually retroactive to July 1.

Fairhaven Public Schools continues its membership in the Southeastern Massachusetts Educational Collaborative (SMEC) which serves selected students. Included are programs for students in need of behavior management services, career exploration activities, and training in daily learning skills. Currently six students are enrolled in the career exploration activity; six in the behavior management program; and eight in the Program of Experiential Learning.

Fairhaven's special needs pre-school program, housed at the Rogers School and East Fairhaven School, is innovative and productive. It provides early intervention for 3 & 4 year old children and in many cases, eliminates the need for special education services as the child grows older. The program provides half-day programs, and in the case of children with significant special needs, full day programming. Our integrated pre-school program has developed and expanded to 4 classes (29 students, 3 openings), and is very successful. An early childhood class has been developed to address the needs of youngsters 6-8, who have global special needs. These children are now in inclusion classes with a classroom support person providing a least restricted program.

The SMEC program provides career exploration, work placement and supervised work programs for special education students, as well as extended day programs. These programs focus on the development and refinement of life skills. The behavior management program provides small group services to students who require close attention and support. The goal is to provide students with the skills they need to return to the regular school programs.

Inclusion activities presently in place have been expanded to promote the full involvement of more severely handicapped students. Programs of this type are in place at all levels. Continued and expanded training for both regular and special education teachers is being provided. Significant funds from the various federal grants have been set aside to support this training. During the past year, training has continued on Inclusion issues for staff as well as in-service programs to help keep skills current with relevant education issues. To assist teachers with all students there has been a real thrust in training staff in differentiated instruction techniques. Much of this training is funded through professional development monies and Federal grants.

The Fairhaven Special Needs Parent Advisory Council continues to be a supportive group. The P.A.C. is invited to participate with the administrator of special needs on special needs projects. The P.A.C. meets monthly at the Hastings Middle School and continues to develop programs for parents and be of support to the special needs administrator and programs. This year the P.A.C. continues to offer programs of interest to parents.

The alternative classroom at the high school continued to function through the collaborative efforts of Acushnet and Fairhaven. This program runs the regular school day. The teacher position is funded by the Town of Acushnet. The social worker assigned is from our existing staff, as well as the educational support assistant.

Amendments to Special Education Regulations have been put into effect. These regulatory reforms are designed to do two basic things: first, to ensure that special education resources are not expended on students who are not disabled, and second, to provide some administrative flexibility in order to increase the educational productivity of those resources. The revised regulations took effect on September 1, 2000.

STATE MANDATED TESTING

This was the fourth consecutive year that the MCAS (Massachusetts Comprehensive Assessment System) was administered to students in the Fairhaven Public Schools. For the first time, students in grades 3, 5, 6, and 7 were included in the testing along with grades 4, 8, and 10. The different grade levels were administered assessments in different subject disciplines:

Grade 3	Reading
Grade 4	English/Language Arts, Mathematics

Grade 5	History/Social Science and Science (performance levels were not reported)
Grade 6	Mathematics
Grade 7	English/Language Arts, Mathematics
Grade 8	English/Language Arts, Mathematics, History/Social Science
Grade 10	English/Language Arts, Mathematics

Passing the Grade 10 MCAS is a requirement for high school graduation in the year 2003.

Results are reported in the following categories: Warning, Needs Improvement, and Proficient for grade 3. Grades 4, 6, 7, and 8 results are reported as Warning, Needs Improvement, Proficient, and Advanced. The reporting categories for Grade 10 are Failing, Needs Improvement, Proficient, and Advanced.

The year 2001 results indicated that students in grade 3, participating in MCAS for the first time, performed at a level higher than the state average in all reporting categories of Reading.

Grade 4 results in English/Language Arts and Mathematics were similar to reported state results. Mathematics needs to show improvement. Grades 6 and 8 Mathematics results were below the state in reported results. Reported results in grades 7 and 8 English/Language Arts were similar to state results. Reported results for students in grade 10 Mathematics and English/Language Arts were similar to the state.

Eighty-three percent of grade 10 students passed the English/Language Arts section while seventy-four percent passed the Mathematics section of the 2001 MCAS. Failing students were provided assistance specifically targeted at their needs through in-school tutoring support classes in addition to their regular English and Mathematics courses.

An intensive after school and Saturday morning review was provided the week before the December retest. MCAS courses have been supported by state grants. Students in grades three through eleven have also had the opportunity to develop necessary skills in a summer program, while students in grades 6, 7, and 8 participated in an after-school program which included academic support with MCAS tutoring.

We must keep in mind that a different group of students is tested annually at each grade level, therefore annual results may vary depending upon the ability and needs of any given class.

It is the intent of the school system to analyze as much meaningful data reported and to look for trends. Building principals and teaching staff have been intensively involved in their individual school's analysis and the implications reported results have for instruction in their classrooms. District-wide data from all schools is analyzed and compared with other standardized testing. This allows the district to continuously evaluate the curriculum and instruction that occurs in our classrooms.

Fairhaven educators hold high expectations for their students and themselves. Teachers are involved in a variety of meaningful course offerings as they bring effective teaching practices to their students. Students at Fairhaven High School have academic classes continuously through both semesters this year rather than block scheduling. This provides ongoing instruction and preparation for MCAS without gaps in learning. As a result, steady progress in state assessment is expected.

KINDERGARTEN ENTRY AGE AND SCREENING

During the 2000-2001 school year, the Fairhaven School Department continued screening activities for new Kindergarten entry age students. All students must turn five (5) by September 1 of the year that they enter Kindergarten. A total of 136 students were screened in the Fall of 2001.

The 2001-2002 academic year offered full-day Kindergarten programming for the first time. The Fairhaven Public Schools is intent on providing high quality kindergarten programs. Developmentally appropriate practices are evident in our full-day kindergartens. The research base that exists about how children develop and learn as well as what constitutes effective instruction will support children's development and learning.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Professional development of staff is mandated by the Education Reform Act of 1993. Professional development supports the teacher's knowledge, skills, and practice as it leads to the expectation of improved student learning. Fairhaven educators are committed to participation in on-going professional development opportunities offered within the district, at colleges, and universities as well as attendance at professional workshops and seminars. Professional development is connected to the Massachusetts Curriculum Frameworks and the teacher's content/certification area.

Fairhaven Public Schools continues to involve all teaching staff in Research for Better Teaching – "The Skillful Teacher I". This initiative is in its seventh year. Training has also begun for staff in "The Skillful Teacher II". This will involve several years as we include all staff members in this second phase of graduate credit training program that's well respected. Fairhaven Public Schools will be seeing an increase in new teaching staff in the next few years. It is crucial that we provide continual professional development support for beginning teachers as they endeavor to develop effective practices and strategies in their classroom.

Increased student learning and achievement is dependent upon teachers engaging in professional development opportunities.

What teachers know and can do is the primary factor affecting what students learn. To that end the following in-district professional development workshops have been offered to staff during 2000-2001:

In-house Professional Development/Workshops

2000-01 English Language Arts Alignment
 Developmental Reading Assessment
 World of Language
 Scott Foresman Literature
 Writing: Personal Narrative
 Persuasive Essay
 Running Records, DRA, Shanker Assessment
 Reading for Success
 Second Language Acquisition
 Guided Reading
 Mentor, Mentee Collaborative Workshops
 Parent Involvement Project
 Curriculum Guidelines/Benchmarks for Parents, K-5
 Teacher, Parent – Key to Success
 Differentiated Instruction
 Developing Curriculum for Full Day Kindergarten
 Technology: Powerpoint
 Technology: Nordex
 Technology: K-5 Software
 Research for Better Teaching – Understanding Teaching I
 Observing and Analyzing Teaching
 Strategies for Co-Teaching
 Multiple Intelligences and the Classroom
 Supporting Beginning and Veteran Teachers
 The Skillful Leader
 School Culture: Impact on Student Performance
 Developing a Character Education Curriculum
 TBST Process and Compliance Training
 Passive Restraint Training
 Training for New I.E.P.'s
 Mathematics Curriculum Collaborative Gr. 5-8
 Hands-On Mathematics Workshops
 Mathematics and MCAS
 Mathematics Framework Alignment
 Constructivist Approach to Mathematics

Mathematics Pilot Study
Science/Math Constructivist Approach – MOLE Day
Hands-On Science and Multiple Intelligences
Science Curriculum Alignment
Writing Across the Curriculum – Collins Approach

A total of 258 staff attended a total of 175 conferences and workshops outside the system.

FAIRHAVEN HIGH SCHOOL PROJECT

The Certificate of Occupancy for the Fairhaven High School Construction and Renovation project was received on November 28, 2001. The Board of Selectmen are continuing to work on a resolution of the issue concerning seating in the gymnasium and are optimistic that can be resolved soon.

Considered a magnificent architectural “jewel”, the community reveres the Fairhaven High School facility. Truly a team effort, the community was involved in decision making to preserve the past but secure the future for its children. This past year has demonstrated increased use of the facility for community functions. The citizens of this town should be proud of what they have accomplished for its youth. The school department thanks you.

FAIRHAVEN HIGH SCHOOL ACCREDITATION

With the ten-year anniversary of its accreditation visit approaching in October of 2002 the school is now busy preparing for another accreditation review. As the school commences its self-study, we find ourselves in great shape. The facility is top notch, programs are in place and working well or steadily improving, and the faculty is well underway with its comprehensive self-evaluation. All of the non-facility issues that were cited as problematic in 1992 have been effectively addressed, eliminated or resolved. At the start of this new millennium Fairhaven High School is poised to continue its path toward excellence and real academic success for all.

EDUCATION REFORM

The Education Reform Act of 1993 was reauthorized in the year 2000 to carry the program forward. The Fairhaven Public Schools has benefited since 1993 in terms of staff development, textbooks, up-to-date curriculum, and programs as a result of state support.

The Massachusetts Board of Education set a Competency Determination for students graduating from high school in 2003. Students in the graduating class of 2003 must meet or exceed the Needs Improvement threshold on both the English/Language Arts and the Mathematics MCAS grade 10 tests in order to satisfy the Competency Determination. Students not meeting this requirement will have four or more test retake opportunities after

their initial grade 10 MCAS but before their scheduled graduation date. The first MCAS retest was given the week of December 10, 2001.

Harcourt Educational Measurement of San Antonio, Texas administers the MCAS.

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL FACILITIES

On September 12, 2001 the Fairhaven School Committee voted to endorse an Elementary School Citizens' Committee and its efforts and findings, with the Superintendent of Schools serving as School Committee liaison. The Board of Selectmen at its September 24, 2001 meeting, voted to establish a Citizens' Elementary School Study Committee. Appointed to the Committee were Michael Botelho, Christopher Bunnell, David Wood, Dr. Martha Cummings, Henry Danielli, Kevin Gonsalves, Thomas Crotty, Nancy Green, Myra Lopes, Bryan Wood, Rev. Robert Thayer, Dr. John Badwey, Ann Marie Richard, Celeste Lake, and Dr. Patricia Ansay.

For the last several months the Committee has looked at options and collected pertinent data. Its mission is to present the town with a long-range, practical plan of action to replace or renovate each of the town's four elementary facilities to educate the town's children. Their motto is simple: "Update a Great Town".

An article will be presented to Town Meeting in May of 2002 to provide for a debt exclusion vote in June 2002. The Committee intends to recommend the most fiscally responsible way to address existing overcrowding, building deterioration, and educational program needs. Details will be made available to all citizens.

CONCLUSION

The Fairhaven Public Schools has had a productive year. Despite challenges that face public schools today, our accomplishments have been many. These include full-day kindergarten implementation, teacher contract settlement, \$1,241,064 acquired in grant funds, the hiring of four (4) new building administrators and a new business manager, the operation of a highly successful extended-day program for middle school students and the creation of a district improvement plan to name a few.

Major projects for the school department include progress toward the Superintendent's long-range elementary facility plan, potential consolidation of maintenance of town and school department facilities, increased integration of technology in classrooms, and recruitment and hiring of new staff to fill vacancies for the 2002-2003 academic year. Ongoing initiatives include a focus on raising student achievement and maintaining student and staff safety.

During my brief tenure as Superintendent I have not only enjoyed but benefited from the collaboration, openness, and cooperation of other town officials and residents in our common goal of providing a quality education for the children of Fairhaven. Thank you for your support.

Respectfully,

Dr. Patricia H. Ansay
Superintendent of Schools
Secretary to the School Committee

GREATER NEW BEDFORD REGIONAL VOCATIONAL TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOL

School Committee

Joaquim "Jack" Nobrega, Chair, New Bedford	Term Expires May 1, 1999
Dr. Alan R. Greaves, Vice Chair, Dartmouth	Term Expires May 1, 2002
Arthur H. Bennett, New Bedford	Term Expires May 1, 2002
Randall C. Durrigan, Fairhaven	Term Expires May 1, 2004
Paul Machado, New Bedford	Term Expires May 1, 2000
John P. Montigny, Dartmouth	Term Expires May 1, 2005
Rita M. Ribeiro, New Bedford	Term Expires May 1, 2001
Raymond Sylvia, Fairhaven	Term Expires May 1, 2003

School Administration

Jeffrey E. Riley, Superintendent-Director
Richard R. Dupuis, Business Manager
Alice M. Pfeninger, Principal
Michael R. Shea, Principal

Overview of the School

GNB Voc-Tech is a four-year vocational/technical high school for young men and women. The school serves the communities of New Bedford, Dartmouth and Fairhaven. Founded in 1908, it was one of the first vocational schools in the country.

As of October 1, 2001, there were 1,808 students enrolled in grades 9-12. Of those, some 1,471 lived in New Bedford, 175 lived in Dartmouth and 161 lived in Fairhaven.

Many of our graduates go on to become leaders in business and industry in the region. Many continue their education. Data collected for the Class of 2001 indicated that 45.1% of the graduates chose to continue their education, either at colleges, universities or technical schools. Another 48.7% of the graduating class directly entered the workforce and 2% entered the armed forces. Information was not available on 2.8% of the graduates. Some 1.4% reported being unemployed.

Accreditation. GNB Voc-Tech is an accredited member of the New England Association of Schools and Colleges, the regional accrediting body for secondary schools in New England. Our faculty members are certified by the Massachusetts Department of Education.

Career Majors. GNB Voc-Tech offers career and technical training in more than two dozen areas. Career majors include Appliance Repair Technology, Architectural Drafting, Automotive Technology, Carpentry, Child Care, Clothing and Textiles, Collision Repair Technology, Computer Technology, Cosmetology and Aesthetics, Culinary Arts, Dental Assistant, Dietician Assistant, Electrical Technology, Electromechanical Drafting, Electronics, Engineering Technology, Health Services, Machine Technology, Medical Assistant, Plumbing and Pipefitting, Printing Technology, Property Management, Refrigeration and Air Conditioning, Steam Engineering, Visual Design, and Welding/Sheet Metal.

Academic Studies and Vocational Training. At GNB Voc-Tech, students experience an education which blends academics with career and technical training. To facilitate this blend, vocational/technical teachers integrate academic instruction into the career/technical training and academic teachers use examples from career/technical programs in their academic classrooms. Through this course of studies, students wishing to pursue a higher education are able to meet all of the academic requirements necessary for them to be admitted into state colleges and universities as well as most private colleges.

College Placements. Students who graduate from GNB Voc-Tech can go on to college, and many do. Our students have been accepted at a host of two-year and four-year colleges as well as schools which provide advanced technical training.

Earning College Credits/Tech Prep Affiliations. While still at GNB Voc-Tech, students can earn college credit for some of their course work. We have Tech Prep agreements with nearly one dozen schools, including Bristol Community College, Massasoit Community College, New England Tech and Wentworth Institute of Technology, which enable our students to work toward a college or technical degree while at Voc-Tech. This allows students to accelerate their degree and save money.

Extra-Curricular Activities. We offer a large selection of extra-curricular activities. Students can join the Car Club, Chess Club, Drama Club, Environmental/Outdoor Club, History Club, Honor Bowl, Internet Club, Karate Club, Multicultural Club, Non-Traditional Careers Group, Peer Leadership, Peer Mediation, Photography Club, Renaissance Program, Safe School Alliance, Ski Club, Spotlight Program, Student Council, Student Government, Skills USA – VICA, Students Against Destructive Decisions (S.A.D.D.), Tomorrow's Teachers Club, Women in Technology or the Yearbook staff. Top academic achievers join the National Honor Society.

Sports/Recreation Programs. Students interested in sports have a wide range of choices at GNB Voc-Tech. We offer football, soccer, cross-country, winter track, spring track, volleyball, golf, hockey, basketball, baseball, and softball. We also have weight conditioning, fall and winter cheerleading and intramural sports.

Highlights of the Year 2001

During 2001, we launched a new career major, Engineering Technology, which sparked substantial interest from prospective students and parents. We moved ahead with a major expansion and renovation project, replacing the school roof, reconfiguring our parking lots, and improving our heating/air conditioning system. With the help of funds secured by our state legislative delegation, we were able to expand our aquaculture lab. We added robotics and engineering to our summer Computer Camp and expanded the program to include older students. Our MCAS scores improved dramatically. Our students continued to win awards, one of them getting a bronze medal in national Skills USA-VICA competition. Thanks to a grant secured by the City of New Bedford, we added a full-time School Resource Officer.

Our students continued to have a big impact on the region. They completed an addition to the Dartmouth Council on Aging, and began work on a second. They helped the Lloyd Center for Environmental Studies. They began work on an animal shelter in Fairhaven and finished up a project at Riverside Cemetery. They refurbished court benches for Third District Court and again worked on the Clasky Common Park holiday display.

Engineering Technology

We began a new career major in the fall of 2001: Engineering Technology.

There is a shortage of skilled workers in the high-wage, high-demand fields of engineering and computer technology. Through this program, we hope to generate more interest in these fields and prepare more students for acceptance into college engineering programs and productive careers.

The new program will focus on giving students a competitive edge by staying current with technology, providing hands-on instruction on the latest equipment, collaborating with institutions of higher education, and working with industry partners. The program curriculum was developed in conjunction with the National Alliance for Pre-Engineering Programs and conforms to the Project Lead the Way model.

Information Technology

With more than 700 computers, GNB Voc-Tech has one of the largest Information Technology departments in the region. It maintains state of the art computers in virtually every classroom and owns a host of digital cameras, web cams, computer projection units as well as specialized computer equipment in the school's 25 program areas.

Every student at GNB Voc-Tech gets an opportunity to learn on the latest computer hardware and software. We own the most up-to-date computers available and we encourage students to use them – before, during and after school. We have a separate department that keeps up with the latest changes in technology and we are continuously adding new computer equipment to keep pace with technological change and to maintain a low student/computer ratio.

Our school website is found at <http://www.gnbvt.edu>.

School Expansion and Renovation

A major expansion and renovation project was put out to bid during 2001 and a clerk of the works, Manuel DelLima of Mattapoisett, was hired to oversee the project. Bids from general contractors were opened in December 2001. A contract for the project was scheduled to be awarded in January of 2002.

Even before the project officially got underway, we re-engineered our parking lots, replaced a 25-year old “chiller” in our cooling system, and replaced the entire school roof. These were all important initial steps in the project.

Dartmouth, New Bedford and Fairhaven – the three communities in the GNB Voc-Tech school district – already have approved the \$22 million construction project. We are expecting 85% reimbursement from the state.

Under the project, we plan to spend about \$14 million on renovations and the rest on expansion. We plan to install energy efficient windows, new doors and lights; purchase equipment; construct a three-story classroom wing to accommodate 14-16 new academic and vocational program-related classrooms and science labs; renovate several vocational program areas, including culinary arts, diesel engineering, refrigeration and air conditioning, and dental assistant; and build a one-story addition to accommodate our plumbing and child care programs and to house our aquaculture lab and greenhouse.

Our main concern is to minimize disruption to students and to the faculty here. The expansion and renovation project will take three summers to complete.

Aquaculture Lab

When students returned to school in the fall of 2001, they returned to a larger fish tank and a lot more fish in the school’s aquaculture lab.

With help from the Massachusetts Department of Food and Agriculture, we were able to purchase and install a fully equipped, commercial scale 7,500 gallon re-circulating fish culture system. We stocked the tank with approximately 3,300 large mouth bass.

Area legislators earmarked \$20,000 in the state budget for the expansion project. Special credit must be given to Rep. John F. Quinn (D-Dartmouth), Rep. William Straus (D-Mattapoisett) and Senator Mark C.W. Montigny (D-New Bedford) for their efforts. Sen. Montigny, Chairman of the Senate Ways & Means Committee, is a 1979 graduate of GNB Voc-Tech.

The GNB Voc-Tech aquaculture program began in 1995. It is now associated with at least 38 schools and institutions, including Umass Dartmouth, Friends Academy, St. Luke's Hospital, Holy Family-Holy Name Grammar School, Wareham High School, the Atlantis Charter School in Fall River, and virtually every grammar school in the City of New Bedford. The program provides and stocks fish tanks for those institutions.

Summer Computer Institute

During the summer of 2001, elementary and junior high school students from Dartmouth, Fairhaven and New Bedford explored the world of computers in our Gateway to Technology Computer Institute.

In 2000, GNB Voc-Tech launched the summer Computer program for area youth ages 10-12 – the first such program in the school's history. Originally designed just for younger students, the program was expanded in 2001 to include robotics and engineering for seventh- and eighth-graders.

The first three weeks of the program is filled with hands-on projects that get young students involved and excited. Students make baseball cards and buttons, develop web pages, participate in the safe exploration of the Internet, use digital cameras, and establish a personal e-mail address. During breaks, the students participate in athletics.

During the final two weeks of the program, older students learn about the science of electricity, the mechanics of movement, model fabrication, systems modeling, programming controllers, computer automation and robotics. Actual projects include building an automotive drive system, DC electrical circuits, and an air-powered drag racing car.

During the summer of 2001, 160 students were served in the Gateway to Technology Computer Institute program. About 53% lived in New Bedford, 34% lived in Dartmouth and 12% lived in Fairhaven.

More information about the program may be found on the Internet at <http://www.gnbvt.edu/computercamp>.

MCAS

MCAS testing results released in November of 2001 showed dramatic improvement. According to data from the Massachusetts Department of Education, MCAS scores at GNB Voc-Tech jumped substantially in both English and math. In English, 63% of the Voc-Tech students passed the exam – up from 29% one year ago, a 117% increase. In math, 46% of the Voc-Tech students passed – up from 17% last year, a 170% increase.

In addition, the school's average score for English jumped to 226 – up from 212 a year ago. The school's average score in math increased to 222 – up from 209 a year ago. Passing is 220.

On November 14, Massachusetts Education Commissioner David P. Driscoll publicly commended our efforts to improve MCAS scores during a visit to the school. Dr. Driscoll said improving MCAS scores isn't always easy. "It's hard work," he said, "But they're doing it." "If you want to see how it's done, come here," Dr. Driscoll said. He noted that we test the reading and math levels of all students, have instituted several new programs to boost English and math scores, and have set up plans for individual students to help ensure their success on the MCAS exam.

GNB Voc-Tech will continue to work to improve its students' MCAS scores. We will do that by offering, among other things, MCAS preparation sessions after-school and on Saturdays. The school is also encouraging students to use an on-line MCAS tutorial program offered through the Massachusetts Department of Education.

GNB Voc-Tech has prepared individual success plans for each student who failed the exam. The school also sent letters to parents, urging them to enroll their sons or daughters in the MCAS remediation programs.

Educators will continue to support legislation that would craft a new statewide competency test for voc-tech students. The test, as we envision it, would not only test a student's competence in the academic areas of English and math; it would also incorporate an evaluation of a student's overall competence in the technical field in which the student majored.

We feel the current test is unfair to students in vocational-technical schools because it only tests them on part of what they learn and ignores entirely any evaluation of the vocational/technical skills they acquire at school.

Skills USA-VICA

Kelly Ann Fontes, a student at GNB Voc-Tech, won a bronze medal in a national Skills USA-VICA competition in Kansas City, Missouri, in June of 2001. Competing against high school students from throughout the nation, Miss Fontes took third place in the "health occupation professional portfolios" category.

Miss Fontes attended a meeting of the GNB Voc-Tech School Committee on July 10 where she showed her bronze medal and award certificate to the School Committee and school administrators.

Miss Fontes, enrolled in the Medical Assistant program at GNB Voc-Tech, began her senior year in the fall of 2001. Upon graduation, she plans to attend a four-year college and study to become a Registered Nurse.

During Skills USA – VICA competitions, students test their technical and leadership skills against students from other schools. GNB Voc-Tech has excelled in such competitions, regularly sending some of its students to national competitions, where students compete with their peers from across the nation.

This year, GNB Voc-Tech sent 13 students to the national event. All of them had won first-place awards at a statewide competition in Massachusetts earlier this year.

Personnel

School Committee. Lance J. Garth of Dartmouth resigned from the GNB Voc-Tech School Committee upon being nominated as a district court judge by Governor Jane Swift. Judge Garth was replaced by John P. Montigny, a former star athlete at GNB Voc-Tech.

School Resource Officer. Officer Mark J. Bento, a 1979 graduate of GNB Voc-Tech, is our new School Resource Officer. He is one of ten such officers assigned to a host of city schools.

The City of New Bedford received a \$1.25 million federal grant to pay for school resource officers. The three-year grant came from the U.S. Department of Justice.

We are grateful to Mayor Frederick M. Kalisz, Jr. for making this possible. Having a uniformed police officer here throughout the day, every day, is a nice addition to the school.

Women in Technology

GNB Voc-Tech continues to participate in the Women in Technology program, run through the Bristol Tech Prep Consortium. The program is designed to encourage young women to enter technical fields where women traditionally have been underrepresented.

Early in 1991, two of our students got to show off their engineering skills at a national workforce conference in Chicago. Tiffany Machado, a junior majoring in Machine Technology, and Kelly Sousa, a junior majoring in Computer Technology, took part in a March 25-27 conference called "Employer to Employer: Developing the Emerging Workforce", hosted by the National Tech Prep Network and the Employer Council for Workforce Preparation. They made a presentation about a time-saving manufacturing innovation that they helped develop with ten other "Women in Technology" from GNB Voc-Tech and Dartmouth High School. Together, the team of students helped design and manufacture a new gauge designed to help Texas Instruments in Attleboro to speed up its manufacturing process. Texas Instruments is an industry sponsor of the Women in Technology program in this region.

In the fall, five GNB Voc-Tech students were selected to participate in the "Women in Technology" program. The team includes Shelby Dubois, a junior majoring in architectural drafting; Cheryl Peitavino, a sophomore majoring in machine technology; Stephanie Martin, a junior majoring in welding/sheet metal; and Cecilia Velez, a junior majoring in computer technology. Ileana Santiago, a junior majoring in computer technology, serves as an alternate member of the team.

During the course of the school year, the students were scheduled to travel to the Texas Instruments plant nearly one dozen times to work on an engineering problem with a team of young women from Taunton High School.

Community Projects

During the 2001-2002 school year, students from GNB Voc-Tech will work on a wide variety of construction projects in the three district communities. Among other things, they will build a second addition to the Council on Aging building in Dartmouth and will build an animal shelter in Fairhaven.

Community projects of this type help our students improve their skills and assist municipal and non-profit organizations to do much-needed work on limited budgets.

Business and Community Support

GNB Voc-Tech maintains a strong and active General Advisory Committee, chaired by James H. Mathes, President of the New Bedford Area Chamber of Commerce. On October 24, 2001, the group gathered at the school for its Annual Meeting to get an update on school projects and to lend their expertise to the school. More than 350 business, education and community leaders were in attendance.

The General Advisory Committee includes educators, parents and leaders from the community and business who provide regular advice and guidance to the school about its curriculum. Each academic and vocational program at the school has its own advisory committee that works closely with Voc-Tech administrators, department heads and teachers to update school programs in order to meet the latest demands of employers.

To further the school's links to the business community, Superintendent-Director Jeffrey E. Riley also serves as a member of the Greater New Bedford Workforce Investment Board and the New Bedford Economic Development Council.

Twenty-Fifth Birthday

Our school had its beginnings in 1908 as a small school serving just 75 students from New Bedford. GNB Voc-Tech opened as a new, regional vocational technical high school serving New Bedford, Dartmouth and Fairhaven, in 1977.

In late 2001, we began to plan for a twenty-fifth birthday celebration. The celebration will be held during the fall of 2002.

Plans are still being developed, but we expect the events to include a gala dance, football game celebration, and Open House ceremonies. The public, including alumni, will be invited to the festivities.

Cooperative Education Placements

Cooperative education is a program of supervised on-the-job training for selected 12th grade students and some highly recommended 11th grade students through a cooperative arrangement between the school and the employer. Participating students alternate between school and work on a nine-day cycle. The program lasts for the duration of the school year.

Through our cooperative education program, students at GNB Voc-Tech can learn and earn while working. Students who qualify can do some of their technical training outside the school, at private companies, and be paid while doing it. Each year, we place students with dozens of co-op employers throughout the region.

Under the direction of Allen T. Vaughan, our cooperative education program continues to be a most effective link between the school and the business and industrial community. Annually, over 100 students receive hands-on training while providing needed services for co-op employers.

Grants

Under the direction of Luis G. Lopes, Coordinator of Information Technology/Grants, GNB Voc-Tech was awarded nearly \$1 million in grants from a variety of sources during the past year.

Grants were awarded to provide training for disabled, disadvantaged and bilingual students; and to provide vocational program reinforcement; teacher training; class size reduction; after-school academic support; Title I services and health education.

Summer Exploratory Program

Under the direction of Robert R. Blanchard, the Summer Exploratory Program gives students entering eighth grade a chance to explore the vocational opportunities available to them at GNB Voc-Tech.

Applications were mailed in February to the parents of every student from Dartmouth, Fairhaven and New Bedford entering eighth grade the following September.

Two, three-week sessions were offered during the summer of 2001. Some 569 students were served. Approximately 70% of the summer exploratory students lived in New Bedford, 15% lived in Dartmouth, and 12% lived in Fairhaven.

Students were offered more than 20 vocational technical programs, and each student selected three areas. They were given a tour of the school and participated in short programs, games and athletics.

Adult Education

Under the direction of James L. O'Brien, we offer the largest adult evening education program run by any high school in the region. Each semester, students are able to choose from dozens of courses in a wide range of fields, from computer technology and computer aided drafting to arc welding and basic carpentry. We offer courses in Spanish, Portuguese, and American Sign Language. We offer about twenty practical arts classes, including oil/water painting, upholstery, power machine and hand quilting.

GNB Voc-Tech offers several courses that are required for licensing in various trades. Those include courses for electricians, steam engineers, oil burner technicians, and the Mass. Building Code.

Tuition generally ranges from \$40 to \$200 per course, depending on the subject. Residents of New Bedford, Dartmouth and Fairhaven – the three communities in the district – get a break on tuition costs.

Starting with the Winter semester in January of 2001, enrollment by community was as follows:

	Winter 2001	Spring 2001	Fall 2001
New Bedford	445	311	393
Dartmouth	133	85	128
Fairhaven	73	55	80
Non-District Residents	166	130	203
Totals	817	581	804

Assessment

The GNB Voc-Tech District's assessment to its three member communities – Dartmouth, Fairhaven and New Bedford – for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2002 was \$3,252,498. This amounted to 15.5% of the total Regional District budget of \$22,761,693.

TOWN MEETING MEMBERS – PRECINCT ONE

(24/72)

2002

Millicent D. Allen, 65 Green Street
Mary H. Battaini, 6 William Street
Michael J. Bouvier, Jr., 72 Pleasant Street
William H. Carey, 3 Fort Street
Ann Cochran, 55 William Street
Christopher Correia, 2 William Street
Martha E. Cummings, 41 Middle Street – Clerk
John C. Darwin, 9 Phoenix Street
Randall C. Durrigan, 4 Pleasant Street
Channing W. Hayward, 19 Cottage Street
Jeffrey A. Huze, 3 Walnut Street
Betty S. Lacerda, 19 Cottage Street
Patricia A. Manchester, 9 Main Street
Stella Marnik, 56 Green Street
Rachel J. McGowan, 40 Walnut Street
Leonard Monopoli, 33 Fort Street
Thomas C. Pomfret, 156 Pleasant Street
Anita Carroll Rose, 49 Laurel Street
Michael Silvia, 19 Coe Street
Sonja Sovik, 5 Laurel Street
Wayne R. St. Pierre, 30 Green Street
Bethany H. Sykes, 92 Green Street
Cuthbert W. Tunstall, Jr., 29 Laurel Street
Linda J. Tunstall, 29 Laurel Street

2003

Barbara A. Acksen, 91 Green Street
Trina Bigham, 1B Green Street
Brian K. Bowcock, 51 Green Street
N. Chauncey Burr, 15 Doane Street
Richard H. Carpenter, 55 Green Street
Christy Dias, 124 Chestnut Street
Donn M. Fletcher, 153 Green Street
Lianne E. Girard, 99 Main Street
Claudia M. Jacobsen, 69 Laurel Street
Curtis L. Lopes, 71 Fort Street
Susan M. McCann, 83 Laurel Street
Kevin M. McLaughlin, 78 Green Street
James A. Pelland, 131 Laurel Street

Kevin M. Polson, 51 Chestnut Street
Beverly A. Rasmussen, 122 Pleasant Street
Mark Rasmussen, 39 Fort Street
Frank J. Rezendes, 4 Green Street
Ann Margaret Richard, 122 Green Street (P.O. Box 173)
Richard A. Rocha, 132 Chestnut Street
Paul Simmons, 99 Main Street
Joan L. Smith, 31 Fort Street
Abilio Soares, 40 Laurel Street
Rich Taber, 45 William Street
David F. Wood, 14 Mulberry Street

2004

David E. Berger, 102 Laurel Street
Doris A. Berger, 102 Laurel Street
Michael J. Bouvier, 67 Church Street (P.O. Box 222)
David J. Burke, 49 Walnut Street
Richard R. Claflin, 48 Cottage Street
James A. Cochran, 55 William Street
James F. Cunha, 46 Church Street
Jo-Ann Cunha, 46 Church Street
Lisa A. Devlin, 49 Walnut Street
Sheila C. Dolan, 77 Chestnut Street
Albert J. Figueiredo, 37 William Street – Chairman
Gail Isaksen, 72 Fort Street
Max T. Isaksen, 14 Fort Street
Elizabeth Isherwood-Moore, 38 Pleasant Street
Myra A. Lopes, 71 Fort Street
Nancy L. Machado, 49 Chestnut Street
Peter W. Machado, 49 Chestnut Street
Carole Mahaney, 57 Union Street
James P. Mahaney, 57 Union Street
Kristin C. McKenna, 105 Fort Street
Charles G. Mitchell, 24 Fort Street
John D. Moore, 38 Pleasant Street
Thomas H. Pomfret, 156 Pleasant Street
Maureen O. Rasmussen, 39 Fort Street

TOWN OF FAIRHAVEN – PRECINCT TWO

(24/72)

2002

Edwin R. Baldwin, 68 Oxford Street
Albert Borges, Jr., 257 Green Street
Christopher Bunnell, 57 Oxford Street
Nancy P. Bunnell, 57 Oxford Street
Deborah B. Davis, 25 Linden Avenue
Marie B. Early, 231 Green Street
David A. Fortin, 60 Elm Avenue
Albena Haaland, 87 Francis Street
John Haaland, Jr., 87 Francis Street –
Chairman
Dolores M. Hanson, 2 Jarvis Avenue
Natalie S. Hemingway, 25 Castle Avenue
Henry L. Knutsen, 55 Castle Avenue
Kathleen Rita Knutsen, 55 Castle Avenue
John R. Roderiques, 9 Hope Avenue
John Rogers, Jr., 13 Jarvis Avenue
Margaret W. Rogers, 13 Jarvis Avenue
Janice B. Southworth, 715 Dana Farms
(P.O.Box 123)
Joyce A. Sykes, 209 Main Street
Raymond Sylvia, 249 Main Street
Dana Warrington, 28 Cherry Street

2003

Paula J. Barry, 45 Castle Avenue (P.O. Box
834)
Randall E. Borges, 257 Green Street –
(Moved to 19 Hedge Street – Prec 2)
Christopher J. Carey, 142 Main Street
Agnes M. Cipriani, 138 Main Street, Apt
#5
Cynthia K. Denault, 217 Green Street
Rhet H.C. Denault, 217 Green Street
Glenna DeSouza, 19 Hedge Street
Curt Devlin, 252 Main Street
Dawn Devlin, 252 Main Street
Paul E. Francis, 9 Huttleston Avenue
Norma Gulecas, 14 Elm Avenue
Michael C. Marinelli, 15 Cherry Street

Andrew J. Martin, 622 Dana Farms
Daniel F. Moretti, 167 Dana Farms
Kathleen Reed, 2 Oxford Street
Deborah L. Santos, 19 Sycamore Street
Robert D. Santos, 19 Sycamore Street
Anthony Simmons, 14 Oxford Street
Jay S. Simmons, 14 Oxford Street
William F. Sullivan, 24 Oxford Street
H. Dante Vena, 241 Green Street
Gregory K. Vohnoutka, 19 Plymouth
Avenue

2004

Bernice A. Alves, 28 Taber Street
Ernest Alves, 28 Taber Street
Diana L. Baldwin, 37 Taber Street
Kenneth F. Blanchard, 23 Huttleston
Avenue
Melissa A. Duarte, 167 Main Street
Karen E. Elliott, 25 Lafayette Street
Alexander Gonsalves, 11 Cooke Street
Meg E. Hunt, 532 Dana Farms
Timothy J. Hunt, 532 Dana Farms
Christopher J. Kershaw, 15 Taber Street
Laura F. Knipe, 5 Lafayette Street
Michael Lewis, 219 Main Street
Dennis Mattos, 7 North Street – Clerk
Barbara T. Mills, 114 Adams Street
Michael J. Myers, 9 Plymouth Avenue
Susan M. Myers, 9 Plymouth Avenue
Steven J. Paulson, 106 Adams Street
Laurie A. Powers, 241 Main Street
Alice L. Rex, 5 Pilgrim Avenue
Diane L. Roy, 27 North Street
Louis A. Roy, Jr., 27 North Street
James T. Souza, 28 North Street
Manuel Sylvia, 330 Main Street – Apt
407D
Harry L. Young, 25 Taber Street

TOWN MEETING MEMBERS – PRECINCT THREE (23/69)

2002

William Joseph Alphonse, 7 Mina Street
Michael A. Barcellos, 8 Morgan Street
Nancy H. Barcellos, 8 Morgan Street
Jeffrey C. Canastra, 11 Deerfield Lane
Gilbert A. Couto, 288 Alden Road
David S. Darmofal, 14 Manuel Street –
Chairman
Roger N. Demanche, 26 Glenhaven Avenue
Bernardino Fortunato, 298 Mill Road
Ernest C. Lizotte, 16 Daniel Street
Mary A. Lizotte, 16 Daniel Street
Antone Medeiros, Jr., 345 Alden Road
Kathleen M. Mèssier, 27 Veranda Avenue
Noemia Parent, 355 Alden Road
Christopher J. Richard, 441 Main Street
Albert Roderiques, 33 Marguerite Street
Edward Roderiques, 28 Glenhaven Avenue
Muriel Roderiques, 18 Nancy Street
Robert Ace Roderiques, 15 Oliver Street
Donna E. Santos, 38 Marguerite Street
Jennifer L. Souza, 113 Howland Road
Marybeth Vargas, 104 Howland Road

2003

George R. Coelho, 60 Maitland Street
Nancy A. Fortunato, 298 Mill Road
Florence A. Gray, 12 Glenhaven Avenue
Thomas V. Hemingway, 9 Woodside
Avenue
John E. Labrode, Jr., 8 Dudley Street
Albert N. Martin, 15 Hawthorne Street
Melody A. Perry, 16 Morton Street
Theresa Roderiques, 33 Marguerite Street
Mitchell J. Rusinoski, Jr., 4 Philip Street
Jack R. Santos, 38 Marguerite Street

2004

Gregory Bettencourt, 26 Dover Street, 1st
floor

Gregory Bettencourt, Jr., 26 Dover Street,
1st floor
Jane Bettencourt, 26 Dover Street, 1st floor
Shirley A. Casilhas, 9 Oliver Street
James P. Costello, 7 St. Mary's Street
John H. Covington, 4 Newton Street
Michael A. Gagne, 17 Deane Street
Carolyn Lopes, 12 Nancy Street
Scott J. Lopes, 12 Nancy Street
Janet F. Macomber, 16 Springhill Street
William B. Macomber, Jr., 16 Springhill
Street
Karen L. Marchand, 5 Philip Street
Robert L. Marchand, 5 Philip Street
Antone Red Medeiros, 318 Alden Road
Jeffrey A. Messier, 27 Veranda Avenue –
Clerk
Charles Kevin Murphy, 43 Daniel Street
Robert M. Parent, 38 Newbury Avenue
Barry A. Parker, 38 Blackburn Street
Alfred F. Raphael, 12 Quincy Street
John Sinko, 36 Hawthorne Street
Theresa Sinko, 36 Hawthorne Street
Barbara E. Souza, 290 Mill Road
Michael R. Souza, 113 Howland Road

TOWN MEETING MEMBERS – PRECINCT FOUR

(25/75)

2002

Cheryl Almeida, 5 Abbey Street
Stephen Almeida, 5 Abbey Street
Gary Ashworth, 150 Alden Road
Albert F. Benac, 44 Summer Street –
Chairman
Kathleen A. Clement, 93 Church Street –
Clerk
Thomas Dias, 129 Adams Street
Woody Drake, 61 Hacker Street
Phyllis Ducary, 9 Brae Road
Paul M. Foster, 7 School Street
Hilda Gracia, 140 Spring Street
John Gracia, 140 Spring Street
John D. Masten, 99 Washington Street
Arthur Oliveira, 2 Harborview Avenue
(P.O. Box 301)
Victor Oliveira, Jr., 125 Bridge Street
Wayne V. Oliveira, 13 Homestead Avenue
Donna Pacheco, 7 Roseanne Drive
Michael J. Pacheco, 7 Roseanne Drive
Loreen A. Pina, 130 Spring Street
Mary Jane Richard, 57 Cottage Street
Lisa M. Rose, 23 Adams Street
Kimberly J. Scieszka, 89 Center Street
Lawrence A. Soares, 19 Bryant Lane
Claude S. Tucker, Jr., 45 Summer Street
Esther A. Wojcik, 57 Cedar Street
Stanley A. Wojcik, 57 Cedar Street

2003

Debbie H. Almeida, 3 Kacy Lane
Dana B. Almeida, 3 Kacy Lane
Todd M. Correia, 24 Summer Street
Kristine A. Fitzsimmons, 87 Cedar Street
Stephen J. Furtado, 7 Laura Lane
David G. Hughes, 56 Cedar Street
Susan J. Joseph, 3 Long Road
Ronald C. Lacasse, 7 Sunset Lane
Michael F. Lemaire, 2 Gardner Street
Jeffrey T. Lucas, 105 Farmfield Street
Urania M. Oliveira, 154 Alden Road

Kathleen Paiva, 19 Elizabeth Street
Robert Pimental, 96 Long Road
Mary S. Rapoza, 161 Adams Street
Francis W. Read, Jr., 6 Roseanne Drive
Patricia M. Read, 6 Roseanne Drive
Brian Riggs, 177 Adams Street
Cheri Rinko-Riggs, 177 Adams Street
Edward J. Riggs, 8 Vincent Street
Linda L. Rogers, 94 Farmland Street
Roberta A. Rose, 6 Sunset Lane
Roman Rusinoski, Jr., 10 Sunset Lane
James C. Stuart, 15 Temple Place
Joan Tracey, 7 Baker Avenue
George J. Vezina, 90 Center Street

2004

Virginia F. Bicknell, 3 Sunset Lane
Manuel M. Botelho, 89 Spring Street
Carl Brown, 2 Ridgecrest Avenue
Naomi M. Brown, 2 Ridgecrest Avenue
David M. Correia, 163 Washington Street
- #310
Glenn Cudmore, 18 Roy Street
Brian K. Dawicki, 19 Temple Place
Eugene R. Desrosiers, 16 Manor Drive
Eileen Elliott, 6 Friendly Street
Wayne Fostin, 15 Manor Drive
Daniel Freitas, 101 Long Road
David D. Gammans, 161 Adams Street
Dorothy E. Gammans, 157 Adams Street
Marc N. Jodoin, 88 Church Street
Donald A. Joseph, 15 Gardner Street
Donna M Joseph, 15 Gardner Street
Kathy L. Lopes, 100 Cedar Street
Richard S. Medeiros, 81 Bridge Street
Rose Marie Medeiros, 81 Bridge Street
Gilbert Mendez, 5 Atlas Street
Paul J. Mendez, 5 Atlas Street
Scott M. Perry, 47 Pleasant Street
Edward G. Rose, 6 Sunset Lane
Robert Viveiros, 5 Adams Street

TOWN MEETING MEMBERS – PRECINCT FIVE (23/69)

2002

Muriel A. Broadland, 31 Smith Street
Thomas E. Broadland, 31 Smith Street
Jeannine L. Cardinal, 159 Ebony Street
Thomas J. Daigle, 20 Bayview Avenue
Henry F. Danielli, 35 Gilbert Street
Ruth Galary, 142 Ebony Street
William Galary, 142 Ebony Street
Gary S. Golas, 231 Sconticut Neck Road
Kathleen A. Golas, 231 Sconticut Neck Road
Kevin M. Gonsalves, 177 Dogwood Street – Chairman
Andrew R. Greene, 70 Raymond Street
Herbert F. Hartman, 42 Fir Street
Kathleen P. Hartman, 42 Fir Street
R.A. Kowalsky, Jr., 185 Ebony Street
David Markey, 262 Sconticut Neck Road
Elaine J. Medeiros, 29 Orchard Street
Linda Meredith, 127 Cottonwood Street (P.O. Box 684)
Terrence P. Meredith, 127 Cottonwood Street (P.O. Box 684)
Jeffrey W. Osuch, 9 Sunset Beach Road
Manuel A. Raposa, 237 Sconticut Neck Road
Louis Rodrigues, 835 Sconticut Neck Road
Edward “Ted” Silva, 2 Henry Street
Irene Willette, 32 Winona Avenue

2003

Christopher J. Baldo, 63 Balsam Street
Dennis G. Bollea, 57 Yale Street (P.O. Box 450)
Martin Bromberg, 34 Seaview Avenue
Domenic J. Corey, 359 Sconticut Neck Road
Judy A. Cormier, 10 Harvard Street
David L. Cusson, 440 Sconticut Neck Road
Polly Daniel, 18 Seaview Avenue
Marietta Rebello Deegan, 97 Raymond Street
Kim Hyland, 165 Balsam Street
Joseph A. Landry, 12 Briercliff Road

Thomas Meredith, Jr., 8 Holiday Drive
Donald E. Nielsen, 27 Harvard Street
Susan M. Nielsen, 27 Harvard Street
Joseph F. Oliveira, 139 Cottonwood Street
Curtis R. Pepin, 19 Gilbert Street
Thomas J. Perry, 19 Cherrystone Road (P.O. Box 789)
Paul A. Schroeder, 5 Harvard Street
Kathleen M. Sturtevant, 22 Briercliff Road – Clerk
Joseph M. Taylor, 91 Dogwood Street
Susan E. Taylor, 91 Dogwood Street
Cynthia Warecki, 7 Leeward Way
Bryan D. Wood, 15 Wilbur’s Point Drive
Donna L. Wunschel, 83 Raymond Street

2004

Mark A. Badwey, 40 Winsegansett Avenue
Stephen B. Benoit, 69 Raymond Street
Jerald Bettencourt, III, 101 Raymond Street
Steven Bowers, 3 Goulart Memorial Drive
Susan A. Broderick, 216 Sconticut Neck Road
Bernice Bromberg, 34 Seaview Avenue
Richard A. Cormier, 10 Harvard Street
Alice L. Correia, 283 Sconticut Neck Road
Paul J. Correia, 60 Ocean Avenue
Patricia A. Crabbe, 24 Holiday Drive
Isobel W. Crotch, 158 Ebony Street
Arthur DeCosta, 694 Sconticut Neck Road
Linda DeCosta, 694 Sconticut Neck Road
Michael D. DeCosta, 235 Sconticut Neck Road
Nancy E. Greene, 70 Raymond Street
Robert D. Hobson, 4 Winsegansett Avenue
John J. Koczera, 50 Ocean Avenue
Antone Medeiros, III, 140 Sconticut Neck Road
Patti Medeiros, 140 Sconticut Neck Road
Michelle E. Merolla, 62R Manhattan Avenue
Lisa L. Moniz, 23 Harvard Street
Kathleen Oliveira, 17 Holiday Drive
Jean F. Silver, 34 Briercliff Road

TOWN MEETING MEMBERS – PRECINCT SIX

(24/72)

2002

Adam F. Abelha, 21 Studley Street
Joseph S. August, 345 Bridge Street
Roger A. Bergeron, 32 Evergreen Street
Joseph A. Borelli, 280 Huttleston Avenue
Philip Cardoza, 56 Orchard Street
Earl M. Faunce, 15 Hamlet Street
Raymond Fleurent, 4 Jeanette Street –
Chairman
David W. Fowle, 441 Bridge Street
Patricia B. Fowle, 441 Bridge Street
Edward J. Freitas, 11 Jenna Drive
Pamela A. Francis, 305 New Boston Road
Timothy P. Francis, 305 New Boston Road
Paula M. Gardner, 13 Jenna Drive
Marc R. Goldstein, 403 Ocean Meadows
Wayne Hayward, 48 Gelllette Street
James J. Holmes, 84 Shaws Cove
Joyce N. Howland, 12 Hamlet Street
Robert J. Neves, 420 Huttleston Avenue
Jillian Richard, 10 Wayne Street
Bernard F. Roderick, 10 Mill Road
Gary F. Souza, 14 Blossom Street
David Szeliga, 26 Prince Street
Louis F. Vaudry, Jr., 20 Brook Drive (P.O.
Box 29)
Carl F. Vieira, 11 Prince Street

2003

Kerry R. Alves, 9 Evergreen Street
Barbara L. Barcellos, 17 Blossom Street
Michael A. Botelho, 8 Jenna Drive
Donald H. Cardinal, 11 Little Bay Road
Dolores Caton, 255 Huttleston Avenue
Timothy D. Charette, 28 Judson Drive
Jeffrey R. Davis, 43 Bonney Street
Mark S. Faunce, 68 Akin Street
Margaret L. Jones, 374 Huttleston Avenue
Linda L. Kellish, 265 Huttleston Avenue
James R. Leal, 17 Prince Street
Shirley A. Marinelli, 19 Welcome Street

Kathryn McNeil, 23 Stone Street
Joseph V. Morgida, 288 Huttleston Avenue
Kraig S. Perry, 20 Timothy Street
Ann M. Pinto, 2 Timothy Street
Edith T. Silva, 301 Mill Road
Craig A. Soares, 241 New Boston Road
Janice Sylvia, 326 Huttleston Avenue
Joseph Sylvia, 326 Huttleston Avenue
Tamy Vieira, 11 Prince Street
Alfred Vincent, 4 Blossom Street

2004

Pamela J. Bettencourt, 12 Evergreen Street
Karen A. Brunette, 7 Brookview Street
Donna M. Charpentier, 119 New Boston
Road
Donald Dompierre, Jr., 6 John Street
Donald W. Dompierre, 255 Mill Road
Ann E. Espindola, 14 John Street
Robert J. Espindola, 14 John Street
Robert D. Everett, 401 Huttleston Avenue
Henry Ferreira, 30 Weeden Road
Linda J. Ferreira, 30 Weeden Road
Edward Lucien Fortin, 426 Huttleston
Avenue
Dennis D. Gallant, 3 Jeanette Street
Mary P. Gallant, 3 Jeanette Street
Glenn D. Gardner, 13 Jenna Drive
John T. Haaland, 21 Forestview Drive
John E. Keary, 12 John Street
Matthew J. Manzone, 28 Brook Drive
Nancy J. Manzone, 28 Brook Drive
Ronald J. Manzone, 28 Brook Drive
Norma L. Markey, 9 Day Street
William R. Markey, 9 Day Street
Cleveland Matheson, III, 85 Mill Road
Andrew B. Tillett, 2 Brawley Avenue

AT-LARGE MEMBERS

Precinct One

Richard C. Brodeur, 57 Fort Street
Robert W. Foster, 17 Cedar Street

Precinct Two

George R. Graves, 74 Hedge Street
Anne D. Silveira, 621 Dana Farms

Precinct Three

John Roderiques, III, 20 Rivard Street
Mark D. Sylvia, 25 Brown Street

Precinct Five

Winfred A. Eckenreiter, 60 Balsam Street (55 Alden Road)
Eileen M. Lowney, 20 Holiday Drive
John A. Badwey, 40 Winsegansett Avenue
Gary J. Staffon, 59 Ocean Avenue

Precinct Six

Marinus VanderPol, 417 Huttleston Avenue (P.O. Box 972, Marion, MA 02738)

ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION – APRIL 2, 2001

Precinct One	596
Precinct Two	531
Precinct Three	478
Precinct Four	591
Precinct Five	632
Precinct Six	652
Total	3,480

Total Registered Voters - 10,468
Voter Turnout - 33%

TOWN CLERK – For Three Years – Vote for One

Eileen M. Lowney, 20 Holiday Dr. (Re-Election)	Pre 1	Pre 2	Pre 3	Pre 4	Pre 5	Pre 6	Total
Jean Linhares, 10 Winsor St.	404	393	270	410	452	420	2,349
Blanks	162	116	171	138	149	199	935
Total	30	22	37	43	31	33	196
	596	531	478	591	632	652	3,480

SELECTMEN – For Three Years – Vote for One

Winfred Eckenreiter, 60 Balsam St. (Re-Election)	Pre 1	Pre 2	Pre 3	Pre 4	Pre 5	Pre 6	Total
Robin L. Gerry-Sylvia, 42 Chestnut St.	336	351	289	339	399	367	2,081
Blanks	251	168	181	237	212	273	1,322
Total	9	12	8	15	21	12	77
	596	531	478	591	632	652	3,480

SCHOOL COMMITTEE – For Three Years – Vote for Two

Mark Sylvia, 25 Brown St. (Re-Election)	Pre 1	Pre 2	Pre 3	Pre 4	Pre 5	Pre 6	Total
Michael Gagne, 17 Deane St.	392	402	307	386	370	394	2,251
Thomas Perry, 19 Cherrystone Rd.	287	223	253	254	244	282	1,543
Dana Warrington, 28 Cherry St.	188	144	138	172	225	233	1,100
Blanks	127	165	96	141	171	171	871
Total	198	128	162	229	254	224	1,195
	1,192	1,062	956	1,182	1,264	1,304	6,960

BOARD OF HEALTH – For Three Years – Vote for One

Barbara A. Acksen, 91 Green St.	Pre 1	Pre 2	Pre 3	Pre 4	Pre 5	Pre 6	Total
John A. Badwey, 40 Winsegansett Ave.	308	203	196	245	207	307	1,466
Blanks	270	298	241	306	385	307	1,807
Total	18	30	41	40	40	38	207
	596	531	478	591	632	652	3,480

COMMISSIONER OF TRUST FUNDS – For Three Years – Vote for One

George R. Graves, 74 Hedge St. (Re-Election)	403	417	334	326	370	405	2,265
Blanks	183	114	144	265	262	247	1,215
Total	596	531	478	591	632	652	3,480

PLANNING BOARD – For Four Years – Vote for Two

Channing W. Hayward, 19 Cottage, (Re-Election)	265	274	206	257	271	253	1,526
Brian K. Dawicki, 19 Temple Pl	294	219	168	246	218	259	1,404
James J. Holmes, 84 Shaws Cove	176	158	169	165	213	272	1,153
Gary J. Staffon, 59 Ocean Ave.	234	246	239	314	330	307	1,670
Blanks	223	165	174	200	232	213	1,207
Total	1,192	1,062	956	1,182	1,264	1,304	6,960

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS – For Three Years – Vote for One

Frank J. Rezendes, 4 Green St. (Re-Election)	408	374	328	395	391	402	2,298
Blanks	188	157	150	196	241	250	1,182
Total	596	531	478	591	632	652	3,480

MODERATOR – For Two Year Unexpired Term

Robert W. Foster, 17 Cedar St.	450	436	345	432	414	436	2,512
Blanks	146	95	134	159	218	216	968
Total	596	531	478	591	632	652	3,480

TOWN MEETING MEMBERS – PRECINCT ONE

Vote for 24 for 3 Years – 3 for 1 Year

David J. Burke, 49 Walnut St.	Re-election	238
James A. Cochran, 55 William St.	“	231
Christopher Correia, 2 William St.	“	188
James F. Cunha, 46 Church St.	“	263
Jo-Ann Cunha, 46 Church St.	“	261
Sheila C. Dolan, 77 Chestnut St.	“	227
Albert J. Figueiredo, 37 William St.	“	243
Gail Isaksen, 72 Fort St.	“	407
Elizabeth Isherwood-Moore, 38 Pleasant St.	“	257
Myra A. Lopes, 71 Fort St.	“	298
Nancy L. Machado, 49 Chestnut St.	“	193
Peter W. Machado, 49 Chestnut St.	“	190
Carole Mahaney, 57 Union St.	“	285
James P. Mahaney, 57 Union St.	“	287
Kristin C. McKenna, 105 Fort St.	“	204
Leonard Monopoli, 33 Fort St.	“	186
John D. Moore, 38 Pleasant St.	“	233
Thomas H. Pomfret, 156 Pleasant St.	“	210
David E. Berger, 102 Laurel St.		221
Doris A. Berger, 102 Laurel St.		219
Michael J. Bouvier, 67 Church St.		198
Michael J. Bouvier, Jr., 72 Pleasant St.		188
Richard R. Clafflin, 48 Cottage St.		283
Lisa A. Devlin, 49 Walnut St.		203
Max T. Isaksen, 14 Fort St.		276
Charles G. Mitchell, 24 Fort St.		300
Maureen O. Rasmussen, 39 Fort St.		257
Total		
Blanks		
Total		

TOWN MEETING MEMBERS – PRECINCT TWO

Vote for 24 for 3 Years, 4 for 2 Years, 4 for 1 Year

Diana Baldwin, 37 Taber St.	Re-election	260
Kenneth F. Blanchard, 23 Huttleston Ave.	“	248
Karen E. Elliott, 25 Lafayette St.	“	239
Alexander Gonsalves, 11 Cooke St.	“	229
Norma Gulecas, 14 Elm Ave.	“	188
Laura F. Knipe, 5 Lafayette St.	“	242
Dennis Mattos, 7 North St.	“	213
Barbara T. Mills, 114 Adams St.	“	210
Steven J. Paulson, 106 Adams St.	“	236

TOWN MEETING MEMBERS – PRECINCT TWO

Vote for 24 for 3 Years, 4 for 2 Years, 4 for 1 Year

Laurie A. Powers, 241 Main St.	“	251
Alice L. Rex, 5 Pilgrim Ave.	“	233
Diane L. Roy, 27 North St.	“	225
Louis A. Roy, Jr., 27 North St.	“	212
Manuel Sylvia, 330 Main St.	“	190
Harry L. Young, 25 Taber St.	“	272
Bernice A. Alves, 28 Taber St.		216
Ernest Alves, 28 Taber St.		202
Melissa A. Duarte, 167 Main St.		192
Meg E. Hunt, 532 Dana Farms		232
Timothy J. Hunt, 532 Dana Farms		249
Christopher J. Kershaw, 15 Taber St.		221
Michael Lewis, 219 Main St.		196
Daniel F. Moretti, 167 Dana Farms		163
Michael J. Myers, 9 Plymouth Ave.		246
Susan M. Myers, 9 Plymouth Ave.		221
Deborah L. Santos, 19 Sycamore St.		177
Total		
Blanks		
Total		

TOWN MEETING MEMBERS – PRECINCT THREE

Vote for 23 for 3 Years, 15 for 2 Years, 2 for 1 Year

Gregory Bettencourt, 26 Dover St.	Re-election	214
Gregory Bettencourt, Jr., 26 Dover St.	“	209
Jane E. Bettencourt, 26 Dover St.	“	215
Shirley A. Casilhas, 9 Oliver St.	“	223
Michael Gagne, 17 Deane St.	“	257
Janet F. Macomber, 16 Springhill St.	“	215
William B. Macomber, Jr., 16 Springhill St.	“	216
Karen L. Marchand, 5 Philip St.	“	209
Robert L. Marchand, 5 Philip St.	“	214
Antone Red Medeiros, 318 Alden Rd.	“	259
Jeffrey A. Messier, 27 Veranda Ave.	“	214
Charles Kevin Murphy, 43 Daniel St.	“	229
Barry A. Parker, 38 Blackburn St.	“	186
Alfred F. Raphael, 12 Quincy St.	“	279
John Sinko, 36 Hawthorne St.	“	220
Theresa Sinko, 36 Hawthorne St.	“	218
Barbara E. Souza, 290 Mill Rd.	“	199
Michael R. Souza, 113 Howland Rd.	“	210
James P. Costello, 7 St. Mary's St.		189

TOWN MEETING MEMBERS – PRECINCT THREE**Vote for 23 for 3 Years, 15 for 2 Years, 2 for 1 Year**

John H. Covington, 4 Newton St.	178
Carolyn Lopes, 12 Nancy St.	220
Scott J. Lopes, 12 Nancy St.	212
Robert M. Parent, 38 Newbury Ave.	212
Melody A. Perry, 16 Morton St.	178
Mitchell J. Rusinoski, Jr., 4 Philip St.	169
Total	
Blanks	
Total	

TOWN MEETING MEMBERS – PRECINCT FOUR**Vote for 25 for 3 Years, 1 for 2 Years, 2 for 1 Year**

Virginia F. Bicknell, 3 Sunset Lane	Re-election	204
Manuel M. Botelho, Jr., 89 Spring St.	“	217
Carl Brown, 2 Ridgecrest Ave.	“	185
Naomi M. Brown, 2 Ridgecrest Ave.	“	186
Eileen Elliott, 6 Friendly St.	“	217
Wayne Fostin, 15 Manor Drive	“	263
David D. Gammans, 161 Adams St.	“	225
Dorothy E. Gammans, 157 Adams St.	“	175
Marc N. Jodoin, 88 Church St.	“	173
Donald A. Joseph, 15 Gardner St.	“	267
Donna M. Joseph, 15 Gardner St.	“	240
Kathy L. Lopes, 100 Cedar St.	“	233
John D. Masten, 99 Washington St.	“	172
Gilbert Mendez, 5 Atlas St.	“	198
Paul J. Mendez, 5 Atlas St.	“	192
Edward G. Rose, 6 Sunset Ln.	“	226
James C. Stuart, 15 Temple Pl.	“	172
David M. Correia, 163 Washington St.		188
Glenn Cudmore, 18 Roy St.		209
Brian K. Dawicki, 19 Temple Pl.		273
Eugene R. Desrosiers, 16 Manor Dr.		190
Daniel Freitas, 101 Long Rd.		207
Peter V. Joseph, 15 Gardner St.		200
Richard S. Medeiros, 81 Bridge St.		192
Rose Marie Medeiros, 81 Bridge St.		182
Scott M. Perry, 47 Pleasant St.		173
Loreen A. Pina, 130 Spring St.		167
Robert Viveiros, 5 Adams St.		177
Total		
Blanks		
Total		

TOWN MEETING MEMBERS – PRECINCT FIVE

Vote for 23 for 3 Years, 1 for 2 Years, 1 for 1 Year

Mark A. Badwey, 40 Winsegansett Ave.	Re-election	313
Stephen B. Benoit, 69 Raymond St.	“	207
Steven Bowers, 3 Goulart Memorial Dr.	“	218
Susan A. Broderick, 216 Scont. Neck Rd.	“	223
Richard A. Cormier, 10 Harvard St.	“	174
Paul J. Correia, 60 Ocean Ave.	“	208
Isobel W. Crotch, 158 Ebony St.	“	173
Marietta Rebello Deegan, 97 Raymond St.	“	166
Nancy E. Greene, 70 Raymond St.	“	223
Robert D. Hobson, 4 Winsegansett Ave.	“	260
Antone Medeiros, III, 140 Scont. Neck Rd.	“	246
Patti Medeiros, 140 Scont. Neck Rd.	“	221
Lisa L. Moniz, 23 Harvard St.	“	183
Kathleen Oliveira, 17 Holiday Dr.	“	203
Irene Willette, 32 Winona Ave.	“	161
Jerald Bettencourt, III, 101 Raymond St.		221
Bernice Bromberg, 34 Seaview Ave.		174
Martin Bromberg, 34 Seaview Ave.		167
Alice L. Correia, 283 Scont. Neck Rd.		206
Patricia A. Crabbe, 24 Holiday Dr.		306
Arthur DeCosta, 694 Scont. Neck Rd.		217
Linda DeCosta, 694 Scont. Neck Rd.		244
Michael D. DeCosta, 235 Scont. Neck Rd.		173
John J. Koczera, 50 Ocean Ave.		184
Michele E. Merolla, 62 R. Manhattan Ave.		196
Jean F. Silver, 34 Briercliff Rd.		191
Total		
Blanks		
Total		

TOWN MEETING MEMBERS – PRECINCT SIX

Vote for 24 for 3 Years, 1 for 2 Years

Kenneth E. Affonce, 5 Eddy St.	Re-election	179
Robert E. Everett, 401 Huttleston Ave.	“	163
Henry Ferreira, 30 Weeden Rd.	“	284
Edward L. Fortin, 426 Huttleston Ave.	“	179
Dennis D. Gallant, 3 Jeannette St.	“	187
Mary P. Gallant, 3 Jeannette St.	“	169
Glenn Gardner, 13 Jenna Dr.	“	175
John E. Keary, 12 John St.	“	163
Norma L. Markey, 9 Day St.	“	181
William R. Markey, 9 Day St.	“	189

TOWN MEETING MEMBERS – PRECINCT SIX

Vote for 24 for 3 Years, 1 for 2 Years

Cleveland Matheson, III, 85 Mill Rd.	“	181
Alfred Vincent, 4 Blossom St.	“	159
Pamela J. Bettencourt, 12 Evergreen St.		170
Karen A. Brunette, 7 Brookview St.		178
Donna M. Charpentier, 119 New Boston Rd.		252
Donald Dompierre, Jr., 6 John St.		170
Donald W. Dompierre, 255 Mill Rd.		170
Ann E. Espindola, 14 John St.		187
Robert J. Espindola, 14 John St.		198
Linda J. Ferreira, 30 Weeden Rd.		198
John T. Haaland, 21 Forestview Dr.		237
Matthew J. Manzone, 28 Brook Dr.		237
Nancy J. Manzone, 28 Brook Dr.		254
Ronald J. Manzone, 28 Brook Dr.		258
Andrew B. Tillett, 2 Brawley Ave.		204
Total		
Blanks		
Total		

**SPECIAL TOWN MEETING
TUESDAY, JANUARY 30, 2001**

**WALTER SILVEIRA AUDITORIUM
ELIZ. I. HASTINGS MIDDLE SCHOOL**

**TOWN MEETING MEMBERS PRESENT 314 –
QUORUM REQUIRED 100**

Meeting called to order by the Town Clerk at 7:00 PM.

Town Clerk stated that the warrant had been properly served and that there was a quorum.

Voted that the Town Clerk be relieved from reading each article in its entirety and that she be allowed to refer to the article by number and title only. Seconded.

Town Meeting Members present:	Precinct 1	-	58
	Precinct 2	-	55
	Precinct 3	-	40
	Precinct 4	-	56
	Precinct 5	-	48
	Precinct 6	-	57
	Total		314

ARTICLE 1 – TOWN MODERATOR

Voted unanimously to appoint Robert W. Foster as Moderator.

ARTICLE 2 – TOWN CHARGES

Voted unanimously the following sums of money:

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

1. Date Processing
(c.) Capital Outlay - \$102,627.00 by transfer from Surplus Revenue.
2. Planning Board
(c.) Supplies - \$2,000.00 by transfer from Planning Board Purchase of Services.

PUBLIC SAFETY

3. Police Department

(c.) Supplies - \$12,700.00 by transfer from Surplus Revenue

4. Fire Department

(e.) Capital Outlay - \$40,200.00 by transfer \$5,200.00 from Surplus Revenue for Fire Department Capital Outlay and \$35,000.00 by transfer from Surplus Revenue to augment Article 33 of the May 1, 1999 Annual Town Meeting – Construction of Building Additions and Renovations of Existing Fire Department Headquarters.

VETERANS SERVICES

5. Veterans Services

(a.) Salary & Wages - \$450.00 by transfer from Surplus Revenue.

(d.) Other Charges/Expenses - \$14,150.00 by transfer from Surplus Revenue.

(e.) Capital Outlay – Moved to Pass Over

SCHOOLS

6. Bristol County Agricultural H. S. - \$3,371.00 by transfer from Surplus Revenue.

RECREATION

7. Park Division

(e.) Capital Outlay - \$44,400.00 by transfer from Surplus Revenue.

UNCLASSIFIED

8. Group Insurance - \$230,000.00 by transferring \$228,976.00 from Surplus Revenue and by transferring \$1,024.00 from Tourism Account Reserved for Appropriation.

9. MA Employment Security - \$15,000.00 by transfer from Surplus Revenue.

10. Non-Contributory Retirement - \$151.76 by transfer from Surplus Revenue.

ARTICLE 3 – GROUP INSURANCE

Voted Indefinite Postponement.

ARTICLE 4 – FUNDING LABOR CONTRACTS

Voted unanimously the following sums of money to supplement the appropriations by adoption of Article 4 of the Annual Town Meeting, May 6, 2000 for the purpose of funding the cost in FY 2001 only, of the Collective Bargaining agreement between the Town and the following labor groups, said agreement signed and dated prior to this Town Meeting:

1. Police Department

(a.) Salaries & Wages – Moved to Pass Over

2. Fire Department

(a.) Salaries & Wages – Moved to Pass Over

3. Clerical
 - (a.) Salaries & Wages - \$25,000.00 by transfer from Surplus Revenue and to authorize the Town Accountant to allocate the funds to the various departments
4. Highway Division
 - (a.) Salaries & Wages - \$22,147.00 by transfer from Surplus Revenue and to authorize the Town Accountant to allocate the funds to the various departments
5. Sewer Department
 - (a.) Salaries & Wages - \$16,955.00 by transfer from Sewer Retained Earnings Account.
6. Water Division
 - (a.) Salaries & Wages - \$8,170.00 by transfer from Water Retained Earnings Account.

ARTICLE 5 – TOWN CHARGES

Voted unanimously the sum of \$44,000.00 to supplement the appropriations by adoption of Article 4 of the Annual Town Meeting, May 6, 2000 for the purpose of funding the cost in FY 01 only, of wage increases for non-union employees and to authorize the Town Account to allocate the funds to the various affected departments by transferring \$1,103.00 from Tourism Account Reserved for Appropriation, \$2,409.00 from Water Retained Earnings Account, \$4,087.00 from Sewer Retained Earnings Account and \$36,401.00 from Surplus Revenue.

ARTICLE 6 – UNPAID BILLS OF PRIOR YEARS

Voted unanimously the following sums of money for the payment of unpaid bills of prior years in accordance with Section 64, Chapter 44 of the General Laws, as amended by Chapter 179 of the Acts of 1941:

1. W.J. Alphonse, Co. - \$85.52 by transfer from Surplus Revenue
2. NSTAR - \$62.55 by transfer from Surplus Revenue
3. Rhode Island Hospital - \$851.42 by transfer from Surplus Revenue
4. South Coast Hospital Group – St. Luke's Hospital - \$2,041.32 by transfer from Surplus Revenue

ARTICLE 7 – AMBULANCE/POLICE STATION CONSTRUCTION ARBITRATION AWARD

Voted unanimously the sum of \$61,000.00 by transfer from Surplus Revenue to settle an Arbitration Award to J.G. Edwards Construction Co., Inc.

ARTICLE 8 – HASTINGS MIDDLE SCHOOL BOILERS

Voted unanimously the sum of \$200,000.00 by transfer from Surplus Revenue to complete the boiler replacement at the Hastings Middle School.

ARTICLE 9 – POLICE DEPT LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT BLOCK GRANT

Voted unanimously the sum of \$3,045.00 by transfer from Surplus Revenue for “hard match” funds for a federal block grant (#2000-LB-BX-0412) from the U.S. Department of Justice to help reduce crime and improve public safety.

ARTICLE 10 – GOULART MEMORIAL DR/CAUSEWAY RD SIDEWALK PROJECT

Voted unanimously the sum of \$5,000.00 by transfer from Surplus Revenue and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to accept a grant from either the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Management Coastal Access Program for the purpose of constructing a sidewalk alongside Goulart Memorial Drive/Causeway Road. Now, therefore, be it voted by the Town Meeting of the Town of Fairhaven: That the Board of Selectmen be and is hereby authorized to accept a grant from the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Management Coastal Access Program for \$5,000.00 of the projected cost of \$10,000.00 for the purpose of constructing a sidewalk alongside Goulart Memorial Drive/Causeway Road and to raise and appropriate an additional \$5,000.00 from town appropriation or borrowing for the remaining cost of the sidewalk project.

ARTICLE 11 – GRANT FOR THE MASSACHUSETTS HISTORIC PRESERVATION SURVEY AND PLANNING GRANT FOR DEVELOPMENT OF NOMINATION PAPERS FOR A TOWN CENTER NATIONAL REGISTER HISTORIC DISTRICT

Voted unanimously the sum of \$15,000.00 by transfer from Tourism Account Reserved for Appropriation and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to accept a grant from the Massachusetts Historical Commission for the purpose of developing a nomination for the Town Center area as a National Register of Historic Places Historic District. Now, therefore, be it voted by the Town Meeting of the Town of Fairhaven: That the Board of Selectmen be and is hereby authorized to accept a grant from the Massachusetts Historical Commission up to sixty percent (60%) of the cost of \$15,000.00 for the purpose of developing a nomination for the town center area as a National Register of Historic Places Historic District. Be it further voted: That, subject to the availability of the sum or \$15,000.00 by appropriation and/or borrowing by means of anticipation notes, or otherwise, the Town of Fairhaven shall expend the sum of up to \$15,000.00 for the purpose of developing a nomination for the Town Center area as a National Register of Historic Places Historic District, prior to and in anticipation of reimbursement of up to sixty percent (60%) thereof from the receipt of the above referenced grant.

ARTICLE 12 – LAND ACQUISITION – 247 HUTTLESTON AVENUE

Article failed. Needed 2/3 vote (156 Yes – 135 No).

ARTICLE 13 – SPECIAL LEGISLATION FOR COMMON VICTUALER BEER AND WINE LICENSE

Moved to Pass Over.

ARTICLE 14 – SURPLUS MATERIALS FROM HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING PROJECT

Voted unanimously to donate any or all of the surplus building materials and equipment, which were removed from the High School during the recent renovation project, to the Fairhaven Alumni Association, and if so, to determine what if any conditions shall be imposed upon such donation.

ARTICLE 15 – SLUDGE TREATMENT SERVICES AGREEMENT

Moved to Pass Over

ARTICLE 16 – APPROPRIATION FOR SLUDGE PROPOSAL

Voted unanimously the sum of \$100,000.00 by transfer from Sewer Retained Earnings Account for the purpose of funding the cost of transporting and disposing of sludge from the Town's Wastewater Treatment Facility for the period of one year beginning March 2001.

ARTICLE 17 – ODOR CONTROL IMPROVEMENTS

Moved to Pass Over.

ARTICLE 18 – WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT

Voted unanimously the sum of \$85,000.00 by transfer from Sewer Retained Earnings Account to begin the facility planning and design necessary to bring the Fairhaven Wastewater Treatment Plant into compliance with the new limits established in the Federal National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Permit.

ARTICLE 19 – AMENDMENT TO ZONING BY-LAWS

Design Regulations for Signs Requiring a Sign Permit – Adoption failed.

ARTICLE 20 – AMENDMENT TO ZONING BY-LAWS

Moved to Pass Over.

ARTICLE 21 – AMENDMENT TO TOWN BY-LAWS

Voted unanimously to amend Chapter 33, Section 33-8 of the Town By-Laws by adding the following at the end of the first sentence: “and except appointed members of any advisory or ad hoc committees.”

ARTICLE 22 – AMENDMENT TO TOWN BY-LAWS

Voted unanimously, as amended, to amend Chapter 182, Section 4 “Parking Violation Fines” by increasing the penalty for a first offense of parking or leaving an unauthorized vehicle within parking spaces designated for use by disabled veterans or handicapped persons to \$25.00 and increasing the penalty for a second such offense to \$50.00 as required by Chapter 40, Section 21, clause 24 of the Massachusetts General Laws.

ARTICLE 23 – TRADE MISSION

Voted unanimously the sum of \$5,000.00 by transfer from Tourism Account Reserved for Appropriation to participate in a trade mission with the City of New Bedford in Miami.

ARTICLE 24 – TOWN HALL HEATING PIPE REPAIRS

Voted unanimously the sum of \$8,000.00 by transfer from Surplus Revenue to repair heating pipes and floor in the basement of Town Hall.

ARTICLE 25 – OTHER BUSINESS

None.

Motion to adjourn Sine Die at 9:45 PM on Tuesday, January 30, 2001. Seconded.

Eileen M. Lowney
Town Clerk

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING – SATURDAY, MAY 5, 2001

**WALTER SILVEIRA AUDITORIUM
ELIZ. HASTINGS MIDDLE SCHOOL**

**TOWN MEETING MEMBERS PRESENT 302
QUORUM REQUIRED 100**

Meeting called to order by the Moderator at 9:15 A.M.

The Moderator stated that the warrant had been properly served and that there was a quorum.

Voted that the Moderator be relieved from reading each article in its entirety and that he be allowed to refer to the article by number and title only. Seconded.

Town Meeting Members Present:	Precinct 1	-	59
	Precinct 2	-	47
	Precinct 3	-	37
	Precinct 4	-	54
	Precinct 5	-	52
	Precinct 6	-	53
	Total		302

ARTICLE 1 TOWN CHARGES

Voted unanimously the following sums of money:

General Government

1. Board of Appeals
 - (a.) Salary & Wages - \$500.00 by transfer from Surplus Revenue.
 - (b.) Purchase of Services - \$300.00 by transfer from Surplus Revenue.
2. Legal Expense - \$50,000.00 by transfer from Surplus Revenue

Public Safety

3. Police Department
 - (a.) Salary & Wages - \$90,815.00 by transfer from Surplus Revenue.

Health & Sanitation

4. Board of Health
 - (c.) Purchases of Services - \$4,100.00 by transfer from Surplus Revenue.

Veterans Services

5. Veterans Services
 - (b.) Purchase of Services - \$8,200.00 by transfer from Surplus Revenue.
 - (e.) Capital Outlay - \$250.00 by transfer from Surplus Revenue.

Schools

6. Elementary/H.S. - \$450,000.00 by transfer from Surplus Revenue.

Recreation

7. Park Division
 - (b.) Purchase of Services - \$1,600.00 by transfer from Tourism Revolving Account.

ARTICLE 2 FUNDING LABOR CONTRACTS

Voted unanimously to supplement the appropriations by adoption of Article 4 of the Annual Town Meeting, May 6, 2000 for the purpose of funding the cost in FY 2001 only, of the Collective Bargaining agreement between the Town and the following labor groups:

1. Police Department – International Brotherhood of Police Officers – Local 381
 - (a.) Salaries & Wages - \$60,300.00 by transfer from Surplus Revenue.
2. Fire Department – International Association of Firefighters, AFL-CIO, Local 1555
 - (a.) Salaries & Wages – Moved to Passover.

ARTICLE 3 FUNDING LABOR CONTRACTS

Voted unanimously to supplement the appropriations by adoption of Article 4 of the Annual Town Meeting, May 5, 2001 for the purpose of funding the cost in FY 2002 only, of the Collective Bargaining agreement between the Town and the following labor groups:

1. Police Department – International Brotherhood of Police Officers, Local 381
 - (a.) Salaries & Wages - \$101,735.00 by transfer from Surplus Revenue.
2. Fire Department – International Association of Firefighters, AFL-CIO, Local 1555
 - (a.) Salaries & Wages – Moved to Passover.
3. Clerical Union – AFSCME AFL-CIO, Local 851 and to authorize the Town Accountant to allocate the funds to the various affected departments.
 - (a.) Salaries & Wages - \$23,500.00 by transfer from Surplus Revenue.

ARTICLE 4 QUINN BILL

Voted unanimously the sum of \$32,000.00, by transfer from Surplus Revenue, to accept the provisions of G.L. Chapter 41, Section 108 which establishes a program of career incentive pay increases to police officers who continue their education in law enforcement,

and which provides for reimbursement to the Town by the state of one half of the cost of those payments.

ARTICLE 5 PARK DEPARTMENT REVOLVING FUND

Voted unanimously to adopt the provisions of Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 53D, which provides as follows:

Notwithstanding the provisions of section fifty-three, any city or town which accepts the provisions of this section may establish in the city or town treasury a revolving fund which shall be kept separate and apart from all other monies by the treasurer and in which shall be deposited the receipts received in connection with the conduct of self-supporting recreation and park services of said city or town. The principal and interest thereon shall be expended at the direction of the authority, commission, board or official of such city or town with said responsibility without further appropriation, but only with the written approval of the mayor in cities or city manager in Plan E cities, or the selectmen in towns, or in towns which have adopted the town manager form of government the town manager and only for the purpose of operating self-supporting recreation and park services. The city auditor or town accountant shall submit annually a report of said revolving fund to the mayor, city council, city manager, board of selectmen or town manager for their review and a copy to said report shall be submitted to the director of the bureau of accounts; provided, however, that funds in said revolving fund shall not be used for the purpose of paying any wages or salaries for full-time, as defined in the guidelines issued by the director of accounts, recreation and park employees; provided, further, that the unreserved fund balance shall not exceed ten thousand dollars at the close of each fiscal year and any such amount in excess of ten thousand dollars shall be paid into the city or town treasury as provided in section fifty-three. A city or town which has accepted the provisions of this section may, in like manner, revoke its acceptance; provided, however, that any city or town may require by by-law or ordinance, that the provisions of this section may be subject to annual authorization by a vote of the annual town meeting or city council.

- B. Commencing forthwith any person or persons, entity or organization wishing to utilize the Town lighting facilities for any ball field, court or area located on or within a Town park or recreational land shall pay to the Town the cost of providing electricity or other source of power for the lighting of the same. Said payment shall be made in advance of any such use. All payments shall be deposited into the revolving fund established by Section A of this Article. The amount of payment shall be determined in advance by the Town department or Board having jurisdiction over said park or land; provided, however, that said amount shall not be less than the reasonably estimated cost of providing the power source, plus 10%. In the event that the amount paid exceeds the actual cost of providing power, the balance of the same shall remain in the property of the Town; provided, however, said balance shall be used sole for the maintenance and repair of lighting facilities located on the Town's park/recreational land, subject to approval of any such expenditure as required by applicable law.

- C. Notwithstanding anything contained herein this Article to the contrary, the provisions of this Article shall not apply to the use of said lighting facilities when such use is related to security purposes or repair and maintenance.

ARTICLE 6 AMENDMENT TO TOWN BY-LAWS

Voted unanimously, as amended, to amend its by-laws by adding thereto the following Section 87-10:

Upon a written complaint, the Police Department or Animal Control Officer may take cognizance that a dog owned or harbored in the Town is a nuisance by reason of excessive barking or other disturbance or that by such barking or other disturbance is a source of annoyance to any person. The Police Department or Animal Control Officer shall investigate said complaint, and inform the person owning or harboring such dog in writing to abate the nuisance.

If the Police Department or Animal Control Officer shall issue two such warnings to a person in one calendar year, the Police Department or Animal Control Officer shall fine the person not more than fifty dollars (\$50) for the first offense, and not more than fifty dollars (\$50) for each successive offense. It shall be in the discretion of the Police Officer or the Animal Control Officer issuing the fine to pursue a violation of this section under criminal or non-criminal disposition.

ARTICLE 7 SPECIAL LEGISLATION FOR COMMON VICTUALER BEER AND WINE LICENSE

Voted unanimously to authorize the Board of Selectmen to petition the General Court for the passage of legislation authorizing the issuance of a Common Victualer Beer and Wine License to Excel Restaurant Group, Inc., d/b/a Hickory Creek, 142 Huttleston Avenue, notwithstanding any limitations on the number of licenses issued under the provisions of Chapter 138 of the Massachusetts General Laws as amended. This license is non-transferable to a different location, but may be transferred to a new license at the same location.

ARTICLE 8 UPDATE OF THE TOWN CODE BOOK

Voted unanimously the sum of \$7,200.00 by transfer from Surplus Revenue to contract for the updating of the Town Code Book which will include fiscal years 1999, 2000, 2001, and 2002.

ARTICLE 9 STREET ACCEPTANCE – SUMMIT DRIVE

Moved to Passover

ARTICLE 10 SISTER CITY COMMITTEE

Voted unanimously, as amended, the sum of \$5,000.00 by transfer from the Tourism Revolving Account to be used by the Tourism Committee for Fairhaven Sister City Activities on the contingency that it is matched by the City of New Bedford.

ARTICLE 11 VOCATIONAL SCHOOL STABILIZATION FUND

Voted unanimously, as amended, to authorize the Greater New Bedford Regional Vocational Technical School district to establish a stabilization fund for the purpose of the new construction and renovations to the regional school in accordance with Massachusetts General Law Chapter 71, Section 16G 1/2. This fund will be established effective June 30, 2001 and will be retired six months after the first SBAB reimbursement is received by the regional district.

ARTICLE 12 BEAUTIFICATION COMMITTEE

Voted unanimously the sum of \$350.00 by transfer from Surplus Revenue to purchase flowers, plants, mulch and any other materials necessary for the beautification of traffic islands at the intersection of Huttleston Avenue and Spring Street and at the intersection of Huttleston Avenue and Washington Street.

ARTICLE 13 ACQUISITION OF PEASE PARK

Moved to Passover.

ARTICLE 14 CAUSEWAY ROAD SIDEWALK

Voted Indefinite Postponement.

ARTICLE 15 DISCONTINUANCE OF A PORTION OF UNION WHARF

Voted unanimously to authorize the discontinuance of a portion of Union Wharf as a common land place pursuant to M.G.L. Chapter 88, Section 17 and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to execute any documents necessary or appropriate to effect said discontinuance. The portion of the common landing place to be discontinued is described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the northerly sideline of Union Street said point being the southwest corner of the premises to be described shown on a plan of land hereinafter referred to: Thence, N 08 degrees 48' 59" W, ninety-two and 56/100 (92.56) feet; Thence, N 80 degrees 47' 56" E, thirty-six (36) feet; Thence, S 08 degrees 48' 59" E, twenty-nine and 77/100 (29.77) feet; Thence, S 81 degrees 08' 31" W, thirty-three (33) feet; Thence, S 08 degrees 48' 59" E, sixty-three (63) feet to the northerly sideline of Union Street; Thence, S 81 degrees 08' 31" W, three feet more or less to the point of beginning. Containing 1,256.85 square feet, more or less, and being shown on a plan entitled "Plan of Land in Fairhaven, MA, current owner: Town of Fairhaven & Gail Isaksen, prepared by Seguin Assoc., 169 Clapp Road, Rochester, MA 02770, Scale 1" = 20', March 2, 1999."

ARTICLE 16 OTHER BUSINESS

None.

Motion to adjourn at 10:50 A.M. on May 5, 2001. Seconded.

Voted unanimously to adjourn sine die.

Eileen M. Lowney
Town Clerk

**ANNUAL TOWN MEETING – SATURDAY, MAY 5, 2001
WALTER SILVEIRA AUDITORIUM
ELIZ. HASTINGS MIDDLE SCHOOL**

**TOWN MEETING MEMBERS PRESENT 302 –
QUORUM REQUIRED 100**

Meeting called to order by Moderator at 9:00 A.M.

The National Anthem was played.

Invocation by Father William Heffron, St. Joseph's Church

A moment of silence was held for the deceased.

The Moderator introduced those seated on stage.

The Moderator stated that the warrant had been properly served and that there was a quorum.

Instructions were given to the Town Meeting Members.

Voted that the reading of the warrant and the return of service be omitted. Seconded.

Voted that the Moderator be allowed to refer to the articles by number and title only. Seconded.

Voted that all the appropriations voted at this town meeting be placed on the tax levy for the fiscal year from July 1, 2001 through June 30, 2002 unless otherwise specified. Seconded.

ARTICLE 1 MEASURER OF WOOD AND BARK

Voted unanimously to instruct the Selectmen to appoint the Measurer of Wood and Bark.

ARTICLE 2 TOWN REPORT

Voted unanimously to receive the Annual Report of Town Officers

ARTICLE 3 SETTING SALARIES OF TOWN OFFICERS

Voted unanimously to fix the compensation of the Town's elected officers and that said compensation be effective July 1, 2001:

A) Board of Selectmen (3 members)	\$10,096.74
B) Town Clerk	\$39,129.50
C) Moderator	\$604.51
D) Tree Warden	\$5,037.36
E) Board of Health (3 members)	\$2,676.44

ARTICLE 4 TOWN CHARGES

Voted unanimously the sums of money as shall be necessary to defray the Town Charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations for the same viz:

1.	Moderator		
a.	Salary	\$604.51	
2.	Selectmen		
a.	Salary – Board	\$10,096.74	
b.	Salary – Other	\$179,834.15	
c.	Purchase of Services	\$9,321.00	
d.	Supplies	\$4,450.00	
e.	Other Charges/Expenses	\$4,400.00	
f.	Capital Outlay	\$850.00	
3.	Town Accountant		
a.	Salary	\$66,267.28	
b.	Purchase of Services	\$600.00	
c.	Supplies	\$200.00	
d.	Other Charges/Expenses	\$850.00	
e.	Capital Outlay	\$0.00	
4.	Audit Expenses		\$25,000.00
5.	Data Processing		
a.	Purchase of Services	\$67,848.00	
b.	Supplies	\$7,500.00	
c.	Capital Outlay	\$0.00	
6.	Treasurer		
a.	Salary & Wages	\$136,152.84	
b.	Purchase of Services	\$24,000.00	
c.	Supplies	\$4,100.00	
d.	Other Charges/Expenses	\$1,450.00	
e.	Capital Outlay	\$0.00	
7.	Tax Title		\$10,000.00
8.	Town Clerk		
a.	Salary – Town Clerk	\$39,129.50	
b.	Salary – Other	\$25,790.40	
c.	Purchase of Services	\$3,050.00	
d.	Supplies	\$2,218.00	
e.	Other Charges/Expenses	\$1,195.00	
f.	Capital Outlay	\$0.00	

9.	Election & Registration	
a.	Salary & Wages	\$11,600.00
b.	Purchase of Services	\$3,200.00
c.	Supplies	\$2,100.00
d.	Other Charges/Expenses	\$0.00
e.	Capital Outlay	\$0.00
10.	Tax Collector	
a.	Salary & Wages	\$136,047.34
b.	Purchase of Services	\$21,300.00
c.	Supplies	\$8,600.00
d.	Other Charges/Expenses	\$3,025.00
e.	Capital Outlay	\$250.00
11.	Assessors	
a.	Salary & Wages	\$168,915.00
b.	Purchase of Services	\$17,425.00
c.	Supplies	\$5,600.00
d.	Other Charges/Expenses	\$3,900.00
e.	Capital Outlay	\$0.00
12.	Town Hall	
a.	Salary & Wages	\$33,743.80
b.	Purchase of Services	\$40,400.00
c.	Supplies	\$3,000.00
d.	Other Charges/Expenses	\$0.00
e.	Capital Outlay	\$0.00
13.	Council on Aging	
a.	Salary & Wages	\$100,785.11
b.	Purchase of Services	\$11,310.00
c.	Supplies	\$7,742.00
d.	Other Charges/Expenses	\$683.00
e.	Capital Outlay	\$0.00
14.	Town Meeting	
a.	Salary & Wages	\$900.00
b.	Purchase of Services	\$2,900.00
c.	Supplies	\$1,400.00
d.	Other Charges/Expenses	\$0.00
e.	Capital Outlay	\$0.00

15.	Finance Committee		
a.	Salary & Wages	\$1,750.00	
b.	Purchase of Services	\$400.00	
c.	Supplies	\$2,500.00	
d.	Other Charges/Expenses	\$1,000.00	
e.	Capital Outlay	\$0.00	
16.	Planning Board		
a.	Salary & Wages	\$2,918.90	
b.	Purchase of Services	\$2,600.00	
c.	Supplies	\$1,650.00	
d.	Other Charges/Expenses	\$500.00	
e.	Capital Outlay	\$0.00	
17.	Dept of Plan & Eco Dev		
a.	Salary & Wages	\$62,565.63	
b.	Purchase of Services	\$1,200.00	
c.	Supplies	\$1,025.00	
d.	Other Charges/Expenses	\$1,650.00	
e.	Capital Outlay	\$0.00	
18.	Board of Appeals		
a.	Salary & Wages	\$3,527.00	
b.	Purchase of Services	\$1,375.00	
c.	Supplies	\$200.00	
d.	Other Charges/Expenses	\$100.00	
e.	Capital Outlay	\$0.00	
19.	Personnel Board		
a.	Purchase of Services	\$250.00	
b.	Supplies	\$500.00	
c.	Other Charges/Expenses	\$250.00	
d.	Capital Outlay	\$0.00	
20.	Legal Expenses		\$145,000.00
21.	Engineering		\$2,500.00
22.	Conservation Commission		
a.	Salary & Wages	\$1,768.00	
b.	Purchase of Services	\$1,375.00	
c.	Supplies	\$950.00	
d.	Other Charges/Expenses	\$580.00	
e.	Capital Outlay	\$0.00	

23.	Office of Tourism			
a.	Salary & Wages	\$45,006.90	- Tourism Account	Revolving
b.	Purchase of Services	\$29,900.00	- Tourism Account	Revolving
c.	Supplies	\$500.00	- Tourism Account	Revolving
d.	Other Charges/Expenses	\$800.00	- Tourism Account	Revolving
e.	Capital Outlay	\$0.00		
24.	Commission on Disability			
a.	Purchase of Services	\$2,100.00		
b.	Supplies	\$600.00		
c.	Other Charges/Expenses	\$900.00		
d.	Capital Outlay	\$0.00		
25.	Police Department			
a.	Salary & Wages	\$1,605,262.00	- \$1,570,762.00 Tax Levy	
			\$34,500.00 - Ambulance Fund	
b.	Purchase of Services	\$113,135.00		
c.	Supplies	\$104,880.00	- \$79,480.00 Tax Levy	
			\$25,400.00 - Ambulance Fund	
d.	Other Charges/Expenses	\$1,000.00		
e.	Capital Outlay	\$54,000.00		
26.	Fire Department			
a.	Salary & Wages	\$1,041,778.00	- \$966,615.50 Tax Levy	
			\$75,162.50 - Ambulance Fund	
b.	Purchase of Services	\$37,570.00		
c.	Supplies	\$21,100.00		
d.	Other Charges/Expenses	\$925.00		
e.	Capital Outlay	\$0.00		
27.	Fire Alarm Maintenance			
a.	Salary & Wages	\$7,677.58		
b.	Purchase of Services	\$2,782.00		
c.	Supplies	\$1,800.00		
d.	Other Charges/Expenses	\$0.00		
e.	Capital Outlay	\$0.00		

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| 28. | Building Department | | |
| a. | Salary & Wages | \$134,314.76 | |
| b. | Purchase of Services | \$3,080.00 | |
| c. | Supplies | \$2,350.00 | |
| d. | Other Charges/Expenses | \$950.00 | |
| e. | Capital Outlay | \$400.00 | |
| 29. | Tree Warden | | |
| a. | Salary – Tree Warden | \$5,037.56 | |
| b. | Salary – Other | \$23,264.03 | |
| c. | Purchase of Services | \$13,150.00 | |
| d. | Supplies | \$2,480.00 | |
| e. | Other Charges/Expenses | \$0.00 | |
| f. | Capital Outlay | \$99,000.00 | |
| 30. | Shellfish Inspection | | |
| a. | Salary & Wages | \$70,691.84 | - \$50,691.84 Tax Levy
\$20,000.00 Waterway
Improvement Fund |
| b. | Purchase of Services | \$5,500.00 | |
| c. | Supplies | \$13,600.00 | |
| d. | Other Charges/Expenses | \$400.00 | |
| e. | Capital Outlay | \$0.00 | |
| 31. | Care of Dogs/Other Animals | | |
| a. | Salary & Wages | \$31,598.60 | |
| b. | Purchase of Services | \$7,550.00 | |
| c. | Supplies | \$3,650.00 | |
| d. | Other Charges/Expenses | \$0.00 | |
| e. | Capital Outlay | \$0.00 | |
| 32. | Emergency Man/Agency | | |
| a. | Salary & Wages | \$2,356.53 | |
| b. | Purchase of Services | \$5,635.00 | |
| c. | Supplies | \$1,400.00 | |
| d. | Other Charges/Expenses | \$0.00 | |
| e. | Capital Outlay | \$0.00 | |
| 33. | Sealer of Weights/Measures | | |
| a. | Salary & Wages | \$5,074.99 | |
| b. | Purchase of Services | \$6.80 | |
| c. | Supplies | \$400.00 | |
| d. | Other Charges/Expenses | \$990.00 | |
| e. | Capital Outlay | \$0.00 | |

34.	Street Lighting	\$168,000.00
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35.	Board of Health	
a.	Salary – Board	\$2,676.44
b.	Salary - Other	\$86,335.27
c.	Purchase of Services	\$8,305.00
d.	Supplies	\$9,580.00
e.	Intergovernmental	\$17,000.00
f.	Other Charges/Expenses	\$1,650.00
g.	Capital Outlay	\$3,700.00
h.	SEMASS	\$167,242.00
i.	Recycling	\$117,970.00
j.	Hazardous Waste	\$3,500.00
k.	Landfill Inspection	\$23,500.00

36.	Enforcement	
a.	Salary & Wages	\$15,260.04

Board of Public Works

37.	Administration	
a.	Salary & Wages	\$153,070.38
b.	Purchase of Services	\$2,530.00
c.	Supplies	\$1,300.00
d.	Other Charges/Expenses	\$0.00
e.	Capital Outlay	\$0.00

38.	Highway Division	
a.	Salary & Wages	\$723,998.84
b.	Purchase of Services	\$120,325.00
c.	Supplies	\$89,300.00
d.	Other Charges/Expenses	\$0.00
e.	Capital Outlay	\$0.00
	1. Landfill – Transfer Station	\$21,000.00
	2. Rubbish Collection	\$264,000.00
	3. Equipment Purchases	\$68,623.65
f.	Street Resurfacing	\$120,000.00
g.	Sidewalks/Curbing (New)	\$0.00
h.	Sidewalks/Repair	\$26,000.00
i.	Curb/Hard/Surf	\$50,000.00
j.	Drainage	\$12,000.00

39.	Sewer Division		
a.	Salary & Wages	\$642,381.92	- From Sewer Revenue
b.	Purchase of Services	\$341,150.00	- From Sewer Revenue
c.	Supplies	\$110,300.00	- From Sewer Revenue
d.	Other Charges/Expenses	\$0.00	
e.	Capital Outlay	\$0.00	
40.	Water Division		
a.	Salary & Wages	\$357,204.80	- From Water Revenue
b.	Purchase of Services	\$293,910.00	- From Water Revenue
c.	Supplies	\$118,600.00	- From Water Revenue
d.	Other Charges/Expenses	\$650.00	- From Water Revenue
e.	Capital Outlay	\$0.00	
41.	Veterans Services		
a.	Salary & Wages	\$16,616.37	
b.	Purchase of Services	\$16,075.00	
c.	Supplies	\$800.00	
d.	Other Charges/Expenses	\$39,800.00	
e.	Capital Outlay	\$0.00	
42.	Schools Elementary/H.S.	\$14,343,117.00	
43.	NB Voke Tech H.S.	\$620,000.00	
44.	Bristol County Agri H.S.	\$5,000.00	
45.	Millicent Library	\$476,424.00	
46.	Recreation Committee		
a.	Salary & Wages	\$18,455.60	
b.	Purchase of Services	\$3,360.00	
c.	Supplies	\$45.00	
d.	Other Charges/Expenses	\$0.00	
e.	Capital Outlay	\$0.00	
47.	Recreation Center		
a.	Salary & Wages	\$103,650.00	- \$35,000.00 Article 22B STM 5/6/00. - \$68,650.00 Tax Levy
b.	Purchase of Services	\$44,000.00	
c.	Supplies	\$5,000.00	
d.	Other Charges/Expenses	\$1,250.00	
e.	Capital Outlay	\$49,000.00	

48.	Park Division		
a.	Salary & Wages	\$86,752.62	
b.	Purchase of Services	\$19,164.00	
c.	Supplies	\$4,250.00	
d.	Other Charges/Expenses	\$0.00	
e.	Capital Outlay	\$0.00	
49.	Contributory Retirement	\$1,240,424.00	
50.	Group Insurance	\$1,950,000.00	
51.	Memorial Day	\$3,000.00	
52.	Mass Employment Security	\$40,000.00	
53.	Non-Contributory Retirement	\$7,822.30	
54.	Reserve Fund	\$100,000.00	
55.	Town Insurance	\$335,000.00	
56.	Town Report	\$4,000.00	
57.	F.I.C.A.	\$145,000.00	
58.	Buzzards Bay A.C.	\$1,520.00	
59.	Rape Crisis Project	\$2,000.00	
60.	Stabilization Fund	\$0.00	
61.	General Fund		
a.	Debt	\$1,065,754.00	- \$45,000.00 Ambu- lance Fund
			- \$1,020,754.00 Tax Levy
b.	Interest on Debt	\$992,324.76	- \$13,117.50 Ambu- lance Fund
			- \$979,207.26 Tax Levy
c.	Interest on Temp Loans	\$80,000.00	

62.	Water Fund		
a.	Debt	\$164,246.00	- From Water Revenue
b.	Interest on Debt	\$23,532.74	- From Water Revenue
c.	Interest on Temp Loans	\$0.00	
63.	Sewer Fund		
a.	Debt	\$360,137.52	- \$59,000.00 from Sewer Retained Earnings
		\$301,137.52	- from Sewer Revenue
b.	Interest on Debt	\$187,768.32	- from Sewer Revenue
c.	Interest on Temp Loans	\$0.00	

Note: \$182,086.46 of costs appropriated in the General Fund for health insurance, pensions, other employee benefits and shared employees will be funded from Water Revenue.

Note: \$238,422.24 of costs appropriated in the General Fund for health insurance, pensions, other employee benefits and shared employees will be funded from Sewer Revenue. This includes a 4 cents per 100 cubic foot sewer rate increase.

ARTICLE 5 TOWN HALL REPAIRS

Voted unanimously the sum of \$11,500.00 for Town Hall Repairs, including the auditorium.

ARTICLE 6 STREET ACCEPTANCE – ALEXANDER LANE

Voted unanimously to accept the layout of the following described area as a public way.
(See Warrant for description.)

ARTICLE 7 STREET ACCEPTANCE – COSTA DRIVE

Voted unanimously to accept the layout of the following described area as a public way.
(See Warrant for description.)

ARTICLE 8 STREET ACCEPTANCE – TANNER LANE: PHASE I

Voted unanimously to accept the layout of the following described area as a public way.
(See Warrant for description.)

ARTICLE 9 STREET ACCEPTANCE – TANNER LANE: PHASE II

Voted unanimously to accept the layout of the following described area as a public way.
(See Warrant for description.)

ARTICLE 10 GROUP INSURANCE

Voted Indefinite Postponement.

ARTICLE 11 AMENDMENT TO ZONING BY-LAWS

Voted unanimously, as amended, to amend Article II Section 198-16 Use Regulation Schedule and Article IV Definitions by making the following additions:

Article II Section 198-16

Amend with the following changes;

Use Regulation Schedule

District	RR&R	RB	RC	P	B	I	AG	MU14	WRP18
Activity or use	N	N	N	N	A19	A19	N	N	N
Commercial Uses									
Body Art									
Establishment									

Under notes add the following;

'19. A Body Art Establishment shall not be located within 1,000 feet of an exterior property line of a school or church as determined by the Building Inspector.

Article IV

Definitions

Body Art Establishment shall mean a specified place or premise that has been granted a permit by the Board of Health, whether public or private, where practices of Body Art are performed, whether or not for profit.

Amend by adding the following;

'Body Art means the practice of physical body adornment by permitted establishments and practitioners using, but not limited to, the following techniques; body piercing, tattooing, cosmetic tattooing, branding and scarification. This definition does not include practices that are considered medical procedures by the Board of Registration in Medicine, such as implants under the skin, which procedures are prohibited.'

ARTICLE 12 AMENDMENT TO ZONING BY-LAWS

Moved to Passover.

ARTICLE 13 AMENDMENT TO ZONING BY-LAWS

Voted unanimously to amend Article II section 198-18 Intensity of Use Schedule and Article III General Regulations Section 198-27 Parking and Loading Requirements by making the following additions (bold and italics) and deletions as stated in the warrant. (See warrant for description.)

ARTICLE 14 AMENDMENT TO ZONING BY-LAWS

Voted unanimously to amend the Fairhaven Zoning Map to change the area currently zoned Residence A to Rural Residential located to the east of Alden Road, north of Interstate 195 and generally west of the projection of Route 240 as illustrated on the map available for review in the Planning Board Office.

ARTICLE 15 ART RESTORATION

Voted unanimously the sum of \$900.00 by transferring \$900.00 from the Tourism Revolving Account for the restoration of an Elizabeth Terry Delano oil painting of John I. Bryant, a former Selectman of Bristol County Commissioner.

ARTICLE 16 TOWN HALL ART RESTORATION

Voted unanimously the sum of \$250.00 by transferring \$250.00 from the Tourism Revolving Account to refurbish miscellaneous items of art at the Town Hall.

ARTICLE 17 SOCIAL DAY CARE CENTER

Voted unanimously to authorize the Fairhaven Council on Aging to expend in fiscal year 2002 a sum of money not to cumulatively exceed \$75,000.00 from the current account "Receipts Reserved for Appropriation for Social Day Care Center" for the purpose of providing a day care program for senior citizens.

ARTICLE 18 STATE AID TO HIGHWAYS

- A. Voted unanimously to authorize the Board of Public Works to accept and enter into contract for the expenditure of any funds allotted or to be allotted by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts for the construction, reconstruction and improvements of town roads.
- B. Moved to Passover.
- C. Voted unanimously the sum of \$132,613.19 by transferring \$132,613.19 from Chapter 30, Section 39M; Chapter 149, Section 44J; Chapter 149, Section 26-27F of the Acts of 2000 for capital improvements on local roads.

ARTICLE 19 FIRE TRUCK

Voted unanimously the sum of \$50,000.00 to purchase a new fire truck and corresponding equipment.

ARTICLE 20 SEWER COLLECTION SYSTEM DESIGN

In light of the New Massachusetts Title V regulations in effect after January 1, 1994, and the 60 to 70 percent of all residential subsurface disposal systems are known to be malfunctioning at or in the vicinity of Sconticut Neck Road, it is proposed to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, borrow from available funds, a sum of money to design and/or construct the extension of the Town's sewage collection system, (approximately ten

(10) miles of gravity sewer lines and two pumping stations with force main sewers that will serve an existing population of 1,600), including engineering costs and all road repairs to the following areas: (See Warrant)

- A.
 - 1. Voted unanimously the sum of \$269,000.00 by transferring \$269,000.00 from Sewer Retained Earnings Account for Design Engineering.
 - 2. Voted Indefinite Postponement
 - 3. Voted Indefinite Postponement
- B.
 - 1. Voted unanimously the sum of \$122,000.00 by transferring \$122,000.00 from Sewer Retained Earnings Account for Design Engineering.
 - 2. Voted Indefinite Postponement
 - 3. Voted Indefinite Postponement

ARTICLE 21 GOVERNMENT ACCESS PROGRAMMING

Voted unanimously the sum of \$4,000.00 to fund additional salary, maintenance and operating expenses to provide Government Access Programming for Town Boards and other public meetings as deemed necessary by the Board of Selectmen.

ARTICLE 22 DECREASE IN SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP

Voted Indefinite Postponement.

ARTICLE 23 HISTORICAL COMMISSION

Voted unanimously the following sums of money by transfer from the Tourism Revolving Account:

- A. Historical Commission - \$500.00
- B. Academy Building - \$5,000.00
- C. Fire Museum - \$2,500.00
- D. Fort Phoenix - \$1,000.00
- E. Old Stone School House - \$1,000.00
- F. Moby Dick Trail - \$200.00
- G. West Island Tower - \$400.00

ARTICLE 24 MOORING A BOAT USAGE

Moved to Passover.

ARTICLE 25 CULTURAL COUNCIL

Voted Indefinite Postponement.

ARTICLE 26 PROPAGATION OF SHELLFISH

Voted unanimously the sum of \$10,000.00 to build and/or maintain a municipal upweller.

ARTICLE 27 HASTINGS MIDDLE SCHOOL GENERATOR

Voted unanimously the sum of \$60,000.00 to pay for the replacement of the generator at the Hastings Middle School.

ARTICLE 28 STREET LIGHTS

Voted unanimously the following sums of money for the maintenance of the following street lights:

- A. Fir Street – one light on last pole before West Island Town Beach - \$100.00
- B. Deerfield Lane – one light on pole #426/1 - \$100.00
Deerfield Lane – one light on pole #426/3 - \$100.00
Deerfield Lane – one light on pole #426/7 – Moved to Passover
- C. River Avenue – one light on pole #220/0 1/4 - \$100.00
- D. Wamsutta Street – one light on pole #202/1 – Voted Indefinite Postponement
Wamsutta Street – one light on pole #202/2 - \$100.00

ARTICLE 29 ANIMAL SHELTER BUILDING

Voted unanimously the sum of \$200,000.00 to design and construct a new Animal Shelter Building on Bridge Street abutting the existing Animal Shelter.

ARTICLE 30 TOWN HALL SECURITY CAMERAS

Moved to Passover.

ARTICLE 31 HARBORMASTER OFFICE TRAILER

Moved to Passover.

ARTICLE 32 FIRE ALARM REVOLVING ACCOUNT

Moved to Passover.

ARTICLE 33 RECALL ELECTION

Voted unanimously to authorize the Selectmen to petition the General Court to amend Chapter 516 of the Acts of 1991 providing for recall elections as follows:

In Section 2, by deleting the phrase “twenty-five or more voters” and substituting in its place the phrase “fifty or more voters” and

In Section 2, by deleting the phrase “ten percent of the total number of registered voters” and substituting in its place the phrase “twenty percent of the total number of registered voters” and

In Section 4, by deleting the word “not” from the first sentence, which reads “An officer whose recall is sought may not be a candidate to succeed himself at the recall election.” and

In Section 7, by deleting the phrase “within three months after he takes office” and substituting in its place, “within six months after he takes office.”

ARTICLE 34 ROAD WORK

Voted unanimously the following sums of money to do the following roadwork:

- A. Adams Street – New and replace existing concrete sidewalk on Adams Street from Route 6 to Spring Street – Voted Indefinite Postponement
- B. Adams Street – Reconstruct, hard surface Adams Street from Spring Street to Washington Street - \$69,250.00
New and replace existing concrete sidewalks on Adams Street from Spring Street to Washington Street – Voted Indefinite Postponement.
- C. Akin Street – Reconstruct, hard surface Akin Street from Route 6 to end – Voted Indefinite Postponement.
- D. Almond Street – Reconstruct and hard surface Almond Street from #5 to #8, a distance of approximately 620 feet - \$36,063.00
- E. Bluepoint Road – Reconstruct and hard surface Bluepoint Road from #2 to #39, a distance of approximately 1,246 feet. – Voted Indefinite Postponement.
- F. Cherry Street – Reconstruct and hard surface Cherry Street from Oxford Street to Lafayette Street – Voted Indefinite Postponement.
New and replace concrete sidewalk on Cherry Street from Oxford Street to Lafayette Street – Voted Indefinite Postponement.
- G. Cottage Street – Reconstruct and hard surface Cottage Street from Fort Street to Green Street - \$20,017.00
New and replace existing concrete sidewalks on Cottage Street from Fort Street to Green Street - \$0.00
- H. Cottonwood Street – Reconstruct and hard surface Cottonwood Street from Causeway Road to Cherrystone Road - \$78,308.00
- I. Elm Avenue – Reconstruct and hard surface Elm Avenue from Main Street to dead end. - \$28,827.00

- J. Lafayette Street – Reconstruct and hard surface Lafayette Street from Main Street to West Street – Voted Indefinite Postponement.
New and replace existing concrete sidewalks on Lafayette Street from Main Street to West Street – Voted Indefinite Postponement.
- K. Oak Street – Reconstruct and hard surface Oak Street from Howland Road to Service Road - \$41,535.00
New and replace existing concrete sidewalks on Oak Street from Howland Road to Service Road - \$0.00
- L. Oxford Street – Reconstruct and hard surface Oxford Street from Main Street to West Street – Voted Indefinite Postponement.
New and replace existing concrete sidewalk on Oxford Street from Main Street to West Street – Voted Indefinite Postponement.
- M. Shady Drive – Reconstruct and hard surface Shady Drive from Mill Road to end of Shady Drive – Voted Indefinite Postponement.
- N. St. Mary's Street – Reconstruct and hard surface St. Mary's Street from Sycamore Street to end - \$12,275.00
New and replace existing concrete sidewalks on St. Mary's Street from Sycamore Street to end - \$0.00
- O. Sycamore Street – Reconstruct and hard surface Sycamore Street from Howland Road to Service Road - \$41,695.00
New and replace existing concrete sidewalks on Sycamore Street from Howland Road to Service Road - \$0.00
- P. West Street – Reconstruct and hard surface West Street from Lafayette Street to Oxford Street – Voted Indefinite Postponement.
New and replace existing concrete sidewalks on West Street from Lafayette Street to Oxford Street - \$0.00

ARTICLE 35 SLUDGE TREATMENT SERVICES AGREEMENT

Voted the following to approve a contract for the services of Azurix North America Corp. or its assignee, for the treatment and disposal of sludge or other waste, including in that contract provisions for the following:

- A. The contract is for a term of twenty years, and will be binding on the Town from year to year, and cannot be voided by the failure of the Town to appropriate funds – Moved to Passover.
- B. The contractor will use property owned by the Town adjacent to the Town's sewage treatment plant for the construction and maintenance of its facility under the contract – Moved to Passover.

- C. Voted unanimously the sum of \$250,000.00 by transferring \$250,000.00 from Sewer Revenue and by increasing the sewer rate by 59 cents for the purpose of funding the cost of transporting and disposing of sludge from the Town's Wastewater Treatment facility for the period of one year beginning July 2001.

ARTICLE 36 ODOR CONTROL IMPROVEMENTS

Voted unanimously the sum of \$50,000.00 by transferring \$50,000.00 from Sewer Revenue and by increasing the sewer rate by 12 cents for odor control improvements at the Fairhaven Wastewater Treatment Plant.

ARTICLE 37 TRANSFER FROM SURPLUS REVENUE

Moved to Passover.

ARTICLE 38 REPORT OF COMMITTEES

None.

ARTICLE 39 OTHER BUSINESS

None.

Moved to adjourn at 4:05 PM on May 5, 2001. Seconded.

Voted unanimously to adjourn sine die.

Eileen M. Lowney
Town Clerk

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